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East Extension Try for Round Top Oil Field

Two New Areas Opened in Jones; Two Extensions

Oil Activity on Increase in Section

An extension try to extend production to the east in the Round Top deep field, 10 miles west of Hamlin, has been announced. Ellis A. Hall has filed application to drill the No. 1 G. A. Poe et al, 645 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west line of the Taylor survey.

The new location is about a mile east and slightly north of the pool opener, and is a permit for 6,000 feet, which would include a test of the Ellerburger. Production in the pool is from Crinoidal lime at about 4,900 feet.

In the same area, failure in the Ellerburger has been reported for the Ellis A. Hall No. 2-A J. B. Terrell, 1,930 feet from the north and 1,900 from the east line of section 31, block 1 of the H&TC survey, which was deepened after failing to find production in the reef at 5,030 feet. It was abandoned at 5,992 feet after water had been encountered in the Ellerburger.

Oil activities perked up in Jones County this week with the discovery of two new producing areas and extensions of two others. Closest new production area to Hamlin is at the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation No. 1 E. V. Hardwick, about 13 miles east of Hamlin and eight miles north of Anson.

The well, which is listed as a wildcat because of a dry hole drilled between it and the Hardy pool a half mile to the south, was to set casing Saturday after drillstem testing shows of oil in the Hardy sand from 3,675-86 feet.

On the first drillstem test, from 3,675-81 feet, the well showed gas at the surface in five minutes and after 15 minutes recovered 620 feet of oil and 70 feet of muddy water.

On a second test from 3,680-86 feet, it had gas at surface in 11 minutes and recovered 1,560 feet of oil and 150 feet of water. The water on both tests was not believed to be from the formation.

Following the second test an additional 10 foot section was cored and then drilling was resumed. It was to be drilled through the sand or into water, then set casing and complete through casing perforations.

Also rating as a discovery was the M. G. Hansbro No. 1 Ab Hunter, three and half miles northeast of Hawley. On official gauge, the well pumped 50 barrels of 39.2 gravity oil per day with 20 per cent water from sand at 2,203-10 feet.

Two and a half miles south of Lueders, official gauge of 29.60 barrels of 36.2 gravity oil per pump from sand at 1,659-69 feet was filed for the H. F. Pettigrew No. 2 Dr. J. M. Alexander.

An offset extension to production, the well is 1,500 feet south and 150 west of the northwest corner of J. Weil survey in the A. B. Reynolds survey.

As a single location east extension to the south end of the Alexander field, three miles east of Nugent, George D. Morgan and the Con-Tex Petroleum Corporation, No. 9 W. H. Myatt was gauged at 102 barrels of 38 gravity oil per day.

McCauley Eagles Wallop Nodale 11 To Close Second Undefeated Season

McCauley Eagles rolled over the Nodale football team Friday 52-6 for their sixteenth straight victory and their second undefeated, untied season. This brought the Eagles the district championship for the second time for six-man teams of its district.

Eagles have rolled up a total of 21 points for a game average of 0.5 this season while their opponents have scored a total of 38 for a game average of less than five points.

Scores were made for the grand total for the year by the following: Joe Houghton (deceased), 18 touchdowns and no extra points.

Willard Giggson, 10 touchdowns and one extra point.

Local Hunters Plan Annual Deer Quest

A number of local deer hunters are expected to leave during the week-end on their pilgrimages to the hill country. Lots of venison has been promised unfortunate stay-at-homers.

One party will be composed of Ted Russell, Jack Russell, E. J. Whaley, Herman McBride, Art an Stan Carmichael and they will hunt in Mason County. Tally Toler and Ted Hardin will be in another group composed of several from out-of-town.

There may be others, but if so they'll tell The Herald about it when they get back, provided? ? ?

Elementary P-TA Awards Room Prizes At Meet

Members of the Elementary Parent-Teachers Association met Thursday afternoon, November 6 for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Gordon Bennett led the opening prayer.

Miss Harriett Evans introduced several of her pupils in a Thanksgiving play. Miss Maggie Seymour presented some of her students with songs and poems and the pupils of Mrs. Leon Brown presented a play.

Mrs. O. D. Roland, president, was in the chair during the business meeting. Prizes were awarded the winners of the membership drive, with Mrs. C. V. Shelton's room (6-C) winning first, \$15; Mrs. Herman Treadwell's room (6-A) winning the second, \$10; and Mrs. Aline Chambers room, third (6-B), \$7.50. Honorable mention was given Mrs. Fred Smith's room (2-A).

The organization voted to equip the first aid room in the Primary building with supplies as a permanent project.

Mrs. Eddie Jay introduced the speaker, Superintendent I. R. Hutchins, who spoke on "Schooling for the Years Ahead." He pointed out that better understanding and cooperation were the keys to better the parent-teacher relations.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, December 4.

Square Dance Team Performs At Rule Armistice

Hamlin's square dance team, the "Promenadors," was given a grand reception at Rule, Tuesday, November 11 at the dance given in the Rule American Legion Hall. They were asked to give two exhibition dances during the evening and complimented for their ability in the other dances.

They have given a number of exhibition dances at various places during the summer and also at home.

The team consists of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Witt, Don Ray Harrison, Miss Bonnie Lee, Rhe Black and Miss Jarieta Durham.

Also accompanying the team to Rule were: Mr. and Mrs. Cag Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hudson and Miss Glenna Fudge.

McCauley Eagles Wallop Nodale 11 To Close Second Undefeated Season

Howard Fought, seven touchdowns and three extra points.

W. A. Hawkins, four touchdowns and 18 extra points.

Howard Lawlis, four touchdowns and three extra points.

James Lawlis, four touchdowns and no extra points.

Charlie Lee, one touchdown and five extra points.

Paul Waldrop, one touchdown and three extra points.

Tyrus Hicks, one touchdown and no extra points.

Superintendent W. W. Webb of McCauley Schools announced, "The Eagles will have all but three of their squad back next year and expect another good team."

Hamlin Memorial Hospital Ready For Equipment and Furniture



THE HAMLIN MIGHTY MICE—Champions of the Junior Grid League—They've done it again—the Hamlin Mighty Mice are again champions of the Junior Schoolboy League of which they are a member. Although they still have to play Merkel and Roby Juniors on November 13 and 20, respectively, their overwhelming triumph over Anson Tiger Cubs last Thursday night, make them the 1947 champions. They rolled to easy wins over the two teams earlier in the fall. During the past two seasons they have won 10 games, and tied two. On last Thursday night they walloped

Anson 19 to 6. Dean making the lone score after an 80-yard drive in the first half. During the third quarter, Dean racked up another, this time racing for 70 for the score and added their final score in the fourth quarter. The Mice were never forced to punt. Anson's late tally came late in the final stanza when Thompson broke through the right tackle position for 65 yards. Members of the squad are: bottom row, left to right: Kevon Rogers, R. L. Goodgame, Marvin Johnson, Fred Winslett, Don Kelly, Guy Weaver, Robert Bonner, Richard Clemmer, Buford Bigham, Charles Early and

Jon Adams, Middle row: Nelson Lowe, David Butler, Jim Harwell, Jerry Seymour, Gerald Elder, Bobby Frank, Troye Hargrove, Don Elmore, David Ford, Frank Tucker, Freddy Griffin and Clark Beckett. Top row: Coach G. T. Beckett, Robert Fletcher, Dean Phipps, James Jenkins, Charles Don Nelson, Gerald Fudge, Lucas Bryson, Joe Allen Dean, Loyce Hargrove, Sherrod Shaffer, John Edgar Rowland, Ben Hill Turner and Coach Joe King. Not pictured are Herbert Hopper, Kenneth Melton and Harold Smith finish the Mighty Mice players.

Union Thanksgiving Service Set at First Baptist Church Auditorium

John Osteen New Alliance President

Preliminary plans for the annual community-wide Thanksgiving service were made at a meeting of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance last week. The service will be held at 7:00 o'clock p. m. Wednesday evening, November 26 in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church. Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church will bring the Thanksgiving message.

A special feature of the program, a special offering will be taken, the funds to be used for buying anything needed at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Officers for the coming year were also elected at the meeting were: Rev. John H. Osteen, Hamlin First Baptist pastor, was named president succeeding Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; Dr. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church vice-president and Rev. Alice Harrell, pastor of the Four Square Gospel Church, secretary-treasurer.

Hamlin FFA Boys Named Officers in Area Organization

Two Hamlin boys were elected to offices of Area Four, Future Farmers of America, at a meeting held in Abilene. Jack Willingham, president of the Hamlin chapter last year, was elected first vice-president and Clifton Townsend was named to the post of secretary. Jimmy Darling of Abilene was elected president. Other officers elected included:

Howard Edwards, lawn, second vice-president; Jimmy Morgan, Wylie, third vice-president; Knox Waggoner, Baird, treasurer; W. E. O'Kell, Trent, reporter; Weldon Steed, Trent, parliamentarian; Joe Mitchell, O. B. Edmondson, Cross Plains teacher who met with the group to assist in the organizational work, was elected advisor. Dwade King of Anson and Gilbert Brandenburg of Stamford were elected committee-men to assist the president.

Tentative plans for future activities include: judging contests, district banquet, chapter conducting contest, public speaking, a basketball tournament and a summer encampment.

Pied Pipers-Lions Tie for Cellar 6-6

Meet Anson Tiger Team Friday Eve

Only a win over the Haskell Indians can keep the down-trodden Hamlin Pied Pipers out of the District 11-A cellar now. Doped to whip the Albany Lions last Friday night, the best the two teams could do was fight to a 6-all standstill.

But there was a reason. Fate stepped in and benched speedy little Billy Jack Owens, who was expected to lead his teammates in winning their season's first victory. Owens suffered a badly sprained ankle last Wednesday afternoon and was unable to play. Game observers say there is little doubt that with Owens in the lineup, the locals would have won by several touchdowns.

Bill Jones was outstanding in the Albany line. Hamlin's stars were Boyd and Forder.

Conference Standings
Conference standing for the 11-A teams to date follow:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Stamford	5	0	1.000
Anson	4	1	0.800
Throckmorton	3	1	0.750
Munday	2	3	0.400
Haskell	1	3	0.250
Albany	0	3	1.000
Hamlin	0	7	1.000

Results of other area games follow from last week's playing.

Stamford 46, Anson 13.

Throckmorton 46, Haskell 13.

Munday 34, Spur 0.

Merkel 13, Rotan 0.

Snyder 21, Slaton 0.

Colorado City 33, Roby 6.

Score in Final Minutes.

The Albany-Hamlin game was anybody's game until the last quarter and it was only in the final minutes that both teams scored.

The Pied Pipers took over on their own 29 yard line, and made a sustained drive down the field to pay dirt. R. A. Boyd went over for the touchdown from the three yard line.

Hamlin then kicked off and the Lions brought it back to the 36. On the first play from scrimmage A. B. Jones Jr., heaved a pass down to Hall.

Service Officer Changes Visiting Day in Hamlin
Jones County's Service Officer Landon V. Davis has asked The Herald this week to announce that a change has been made in his day to visit Hamlin. Beginning this Thursday and from now until further notice, Mr. Davis will be in Hamlin each Thursday, instead of Friday. Because of some conflicts discovered on Thursdays at Stamford, the days were switched. He will be in Stamford on Fridays. When in Hamlin, Davis will be located at the City Hall.

Abilene Daily to Stop Bargain Rate December 1

Today The Herald has been notified that effective December 1, the annual bargain rate of \$7.95 for the Abilene Reporter-News will be withdrawn and that the new rate will be \$8.95.

Reporter-News and Herald readers will have the opportunity during the rest of November to save \$1, so subscribers are urged to beat this price increase and bring or mail their sub to The Herald at once.

Like other papers, the Abilene paper has received official notice of an increase in newsprint, the blank paper on which newspapers are printed and the \$1 increase represents only a part of the increased labor and newsprint costs and means that readers are absorbing only a small portion of the increase.

All subscribers are assured a full year's dating from the present date of their expiration.

Celotex Churches To Sponsor Box Supper Thursday

A box supper under the sponsorship of the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist and Baptist Churches of Celotex will be held Thursday evening, November 20. Everyone is invited to be present at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Two Thanksgiving programs will be presented preceding the box supper.

Mrs. Anna Bell Sills is sponsor of the Youth Fellowship.

Sweetwater Man Buys Firestone Store

Announcement was made this week of the sale of the Hamlin Home & Auto Supply Store, owned by Mr. Leavitt of Stamford, to Roy Hartgroves of Sweetwater. Mr. Hartgroves assumed charge of the business last week. Pete Bond, manager of the store, since this spring, will be connected with the firm for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartgroves and little son, Michael, will move to Hamlin to make their home as soon as possible.

"All that is lacking now at the Hamlin Hospital is cleaning of the grounds and laying of walks. Attaching water, gas and electricity and installing furniture and medical equipment is next in order. All these features will be made ready as fast as the various items arrive," Bow Pope informed The Herald this week.

Dr. J. F. Hocott, who has been announced to head the staff has been in Hamlin only a few days, with temporary office over the Waggoner Drug Store, has gone to Galveston this week to accept a four-day offer of a special University course in Pathology. This is a feature sponsored by the State Department of Health, and Dr. Hocott is one of 100 young physicians to get this coveted offer. All expenses for this course are being paid by the state.

Dr. Hocott will go from Galveston to New York, where on November 24 he is to be married. As their honeymoon trip they will return by way of Atlanta, Georgia, where the bride's mother resides, and from there they plan to come to New Orleans, Louisiana and Houston on their way to Hamlin. According to Dr. Hocott's statement, he will be in Hamlin December 2 or 3, taking rooms in the Mrs. W. W. Green residence.

Further information about the hospital includes the following.

There are only three rooms now left to be sponsored by some individual, organization or firm. Included in this is one medical treatment room, one laboratory room, and one supply room. These rooms, like all the others, will carry on the door a bronze plate showing who contributed to the furnishing or equipment.

Since the last report the following have joined in sponsoring rooms: The Woman's Literary Club, \$500 for equipment of one medical room, the Beta Sigma Phi took the Nursery Room, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson will furnish one private room, Calvary Baptist Church have taken a private room and also a membership for their pastor's family.

Since it is a well-known fact that the Hamlin Hospital is a home-owned

Cotton Parity Reaches New High of 29.64¢ to Help Sagging Cotton Price

Jones County and area cotton growers were elated over the gradual climb in the parity price for cotton which last week reached a new high of 29.64 cents per pound. In the face of declining open market quotations on the staple, the new high parity appeared as a rain bow in the otherwise cloudy outlook for cotton.

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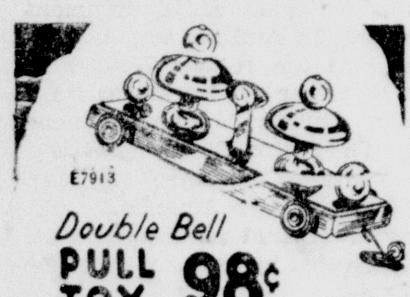
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special session of Congress. Prices were generally irregular during the remainder of the week.

Reported sales in the 10 spot markets totaled 438,000 bales as compared with 584,800 for last week and with 119,300 during the corresponding week in 1946. Sales were down sharply from the extremely large volume of last week but were still very large.

Farmers continued to sell freely in most sections of the belt. Merchants and shippers were offering freely and selling in volume. Mill demand continued strong for both prompt and forward delivery. The demand for textiles continued strong with prices firm to higher. The Commodity Credit Corporation had received reports through October 24 covering 100,200 bales pledged under the 1947 cotton loan program as compared with 48,900 bales through October 17. Registered sales under the export program increased 9,400 bales for the week ended October 23. This brings the total for the season to 140,100 bales.

Parity price of cotton as of mid-October was 29.64 cents per pound for middling $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, according to the B. A. E. This is a record high and compares with a revised figure for September of 29.51 cents and with 25.67 in October, 1946. The current parity equivalent for middling 15-16 inch in the 10 spot markets is approximately 31.55 cents per pound. The index of prices paid by farmers including interest and taxes upon which parity is based reached an all-time high of 239 in October compared with 238 for September.

This rise in parity resulted from higher prices for food, building materials and miscellaneous supplies. Prices received by farmers for cotton as of October 15 averaged 30.65 cents per pound as compared with 31.21 in September and 33.15 in October, 1946. The farm price was 103 per cent of parity in October as compared with 106 in September and 141 in October, 1946.

Vets May Obtain High School Diploma

Approximately 2,000,000 veterans of which those of the Hamlin area is included who had their secondary education interrupted by the war may, in most cases, obtain high school diplomas by taking tests given at the Veterans Testing Service agencies located in all parts of the country, VA reported to The Herald this week.

The agencies, organized by state departments of education and not by the Veterans Administration, are being established in or near every community with a VA regional office or guidance center.

VA vocational advisers can furnish veterans with the address of the nearest VTS agency, as well as information on procedures for applying for credits and diplomas. The agencies, designated by the state departments of education, charge a nominal fee for the tests.

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Baptist Beliefs Subject of Series By Dr. Fred Fisher



Dr. Fred L. Fisher

A week-long series of messages on "What Baptists Believe", will be opened Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church of Hamlin, with Dr. Fred L. Fisher, professor of Bible at Hardin-Simmons University, of Abilene the featured speaker. The Baptists Training Union is sponsoring the messages, according to an

announcement by the pastor, Rev. John H. Osteen.

Sunday morning, Dr. Fisher will preach on "Baptists Are Different" and Sunday evening on "The Bible Is Our Authority." Although no definite subjects are set for following weeks: "Individual Religion", "Baptism", "The Lord's Supper", "The Church and the Kingdom," "The Union Movement" and "Denominationalism."

Services will begin each evening at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Monday night will honor the Training Union; Tuesday, Women's Missionary Society; Wednesday, Sunday School; Thursday, Mens' Night and Friday, Everybody's Night. Special musical numbers will be presented each service.

Dovie Church Plans Benefit Cake Sale

Women of the Dovie Church are planning to sell cakes on the streets of Hamlin Wednesday afternoon November 26, it was announced today. This is the day before Thanksgiving and all kinds of cakes for the big day will be available, it was said.

An ad will be carried in next week's issue of The Herald—watch for it.

Here From Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hughes of

Go To Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr., Rev. and Mrs. John H. Osteen, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Routh and Bonnie Smith are attending the Baptist General Convention in Amarillo this week, Monday through Thursday.

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Some Low Prices Mar an Otherwise Strong Farm Market for Past Week

Lower prices for poultry, hogs and some other livestock marred otherwise steady to strong Southwest farm markets last week the weekly report to The Herald from the Pro-

duction and Marketing Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Unsettled conditions in the wheat markets during the past week left prices a little higher in the Southwest. Feed grains strengthened too, as continued active demand for corn found only moderate offerings from the new crop. No. 1 hard wheat closed Friday at \$3.07, No. 2 white corn around \$3.10, yellow corn at \$2.66, No. 2 white oats at \$1.31 and No. 2 milo at \$3.75 in bulk car-

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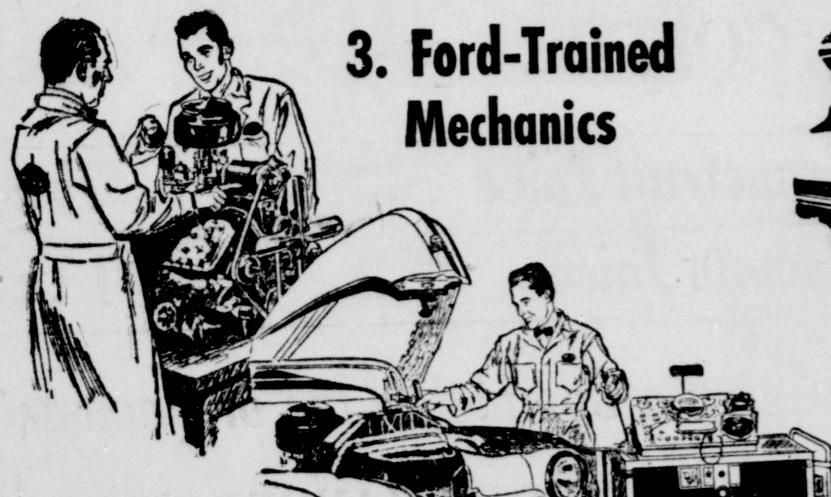
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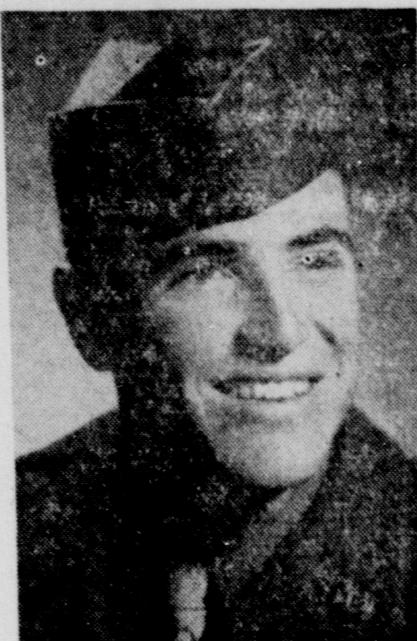


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lin.

He completed his six weeks' basic training at Fort Ord, California, receiving a stripe and rating of marks-

man with the M-1 rifle.

When he arrived home his sisters, Mrs. Roy Williams, Lillie B. Berke-

ley and Wanda Grimes were here to greet him. Another sister, Mrs. J. D. Pilley of Lubbock arrived to

late to see him.

Pfc. Grimes has enlisted for a term of three years and is 18 years of age. He attended Hamlin High School before entering the service.

Four Concerts on Music Program In Coming Season

Hamlin members of the Stamford Civic Music Association learned this week that there will be four concerts on the musical program.

First concert is expected to be given in December and the others in the three months following.

Stamford Civic Music Association successfully completed its membership drive last week and tickets will be mailed to all members in advance of the first concert.

There are approximately 35 members in Hamlin, according to a report from Mrs. John Bryant.

Jack R. Ellison of Hamlin Named to Who's Who at H-SU

Jack R. Ellison of Hamlin and a senior in Hardin-Simmons University, has been elected to a place in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." It was announced this week by Dean of Students, W. T. Walton.

Ellison is one of 23 students on the campus of Hardin-Simmons to receive this honor. The school has an enrollment in excess of 2,000 an all-time record.

To be eligible for the honor a student must be classified either as a junior or senior; be active in extra-curricular activities and have high scholastic standing. Those chosen for the place are elected by a popular ballot and approved by a faculty committee.

Ellison is president of the Senior Class, a member of the Baptist Student Union on the campus and plays guard on the H-SU football team.

Alvin Johnson, another Hamlin student at the college this year was elected to the Who's Who list last year.

Better Subscribe Now, Higher Newsprint Prices Predicted

Hamlin Herald and other United States newspaper publishers, who now pay \$90 and up per ton for the newsprint they use, and then have a struggle keeping in production, may be asked to pay even more in the very near future. Canadian paper manufacturers indicated early this week.

From unofficial sources The Herald has been informed that some dailies now conducting annual bargain rate drives may be forced to announce price increases by December 1. Herald readers who take area dailies are advised to pay up now to beat any price increases. The Herald office takes renewals for daily papers at Abilene, Fort Worth, Dallas, Wichita Falls and new ones for some of the above.

Although nothing was said about an immediate price increase, or about what may be expected in the of a House newsprint committee and United States publishers, that a boost may be in the offing," the report stated.

The committee is holding conferences in Canada in an effort to obtain more newsprint for United States publishers," concluded the way of a specific rise, officials of Canadian and American paper companies hinted strongly to members report.

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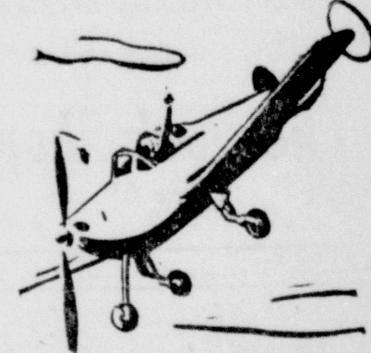
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Ava Nell Deel Becomes Bride Of Woodrow Crawford Sunday

Ava Nell Deel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Deel of Rotan, became the bride of Woodrow K. Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford of Fort Worth, in an impressive double-ring ceremony read at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene Sunday at 11:00 o'clock a.m. with the pastor, Rev. J. T. Crawford, brother of the bride groom, officiating.

Arrangements of yellow and white mums, combined with greenery, were used in the altar vases.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attractive in a winter

white crepe dress with black accessories. She carried gardenias tied with white satin streamers atop a white Bible. For something old, she wore a gold bar pin belonging to her Great-grandmother Deel.

Joyce Bigham was bridesmaid. She wore a rose crepe dress, black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Glenon Jamison attended the groom as best man.

Mrs. Lester Morton played traditional wedding music. Mr. Morton sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because" preceding the wedding vows.

Following the ceremony, an informal wedding dinner was served by the bride's parents in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Maggie M. Bigham.

The dining room table was centered with the beautiful three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Guests present for the dinner were: Betty Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Celo Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphey, Dalton Arrington, Ingene Ellis, Mrs. Clyde Blount and family, Weldon Deel and Wilda Jeans, all of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood, Roby; Mr. and Glenon Jamison, Mt. Zion; Rev. and Mrs. John Richardson, Abilene; Mrs. Floyd Strickland and Reva June, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morton, Thomas Bigham and family, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford and daughters, Mary Bigham, all of

Coronation of School Queen



Wanda Jean Mayfield, attractive Senior girl at the Hamlin High School, who was crowned as High School Queen Saturday night of last week, is pictured above with her escort, Weldon

Townsend. The coronation ceremony, highlighted the annual Junior Class Hallowe'en Carnival, was held at 9:00 o'clock p.m. in an oriental setting at the school.

Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warneil and family of Celotex.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mrs. P. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. Barto Jamison and Landy Jamison, all of Mt. Zion and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kiker, of Rotan and those listed above.

Mrs. Crawford is a graduate of Rotan High School and has been employed at the Callen Hospital in Rotan for several months.

Mr. Crawford attended Hillsboro Schools. He was discharged from the Army in June, 1947, having served for 18 months, 18 months of this period having been spent in Japan. After a wedding trip to Fort Worth, Houston and other points in Texas, the couple will reside in Hamlin.

Thursday Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. P. D. Harkins

Hamlin's Thursday Bridge Club met Wednesday, November 5 in the home of Mrs. P. D. Harkins for a business meeting.

Rogers was appointed chairman of officers were elected: Mrs. P. D. Harkins, president; Mrs. Perry Sparks, vice-president; Mrs. L. B. Maberry, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Carl D. Anders, reporter.

Members of the club are: Mmes Perry Sparks, P. D. Harkins, L. B. Maberry, Carl Anders, Kenneth Parker, Clara Harvey, Harvey Burk, Ray Huling and Stanley Carmichael.

Ferguson-Low Wedding Vows Read Thursday

In an impressive double ring ceremony read Thursday evening, November 6, by Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church, Miss Betty Lou Ferguson became the bride of Richard Leon Low. The vows were read in the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, of Hamlin.

The Ferguson home was beautifully decorated with white and yellow gladioluses and the mirrored background made a lovely setting for the wedding arch of fern and gladioluses. Baskets of flowers and the candelabra completed the decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an aqua crepe ballerina dress with sequin shoulder trim. Her accessories were black. She carried a white Bible topped with gardenias, tied with white satin streamers.

Dora Joyce Culbertson, maid of honor, wore grey satin with black accessories and a corsage of yellow Ann Ensy, cousin of the bride, lighted the tapers. She wore pink crepe frock with a white shoulder corsage.

Larry McCoy attended the groom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, the guests were directed into the dining room, where the couple

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was honored with a reception. The table, covered with a hand chocolet cloth made by Mrs. Sallie L. Scott, great-aunt of the bride, was laid with silver and crystal. The centerpiece was an arrangement of yellow and white gladioluses. The couple cut the beautiful four-tiered wedding cake, the base of which was draped with bridal veil entwined with yellow flowers. Serving were: Mrs. W. T. Johnson and Mrs. Perry Sparks. Others in the house party were: Mrs. Kenneth Parker, Mrs. A. D. Ensy, aunts of the bride and Miss Adele Dixon.

This marriage united two pioneer West Texas families, as their respective grandparents, the late B. S. Ferguson and the late Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Low and Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, were among the founders of Hamlin in the early 1900's. The bride had made her home here with her grandmother, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, for several years.

Both are graduates of Hamlin High School. Mr. Low served in the Merchant Marines and also in the Navy, spending several months overseas.

For traveling, the bride wore a grey wool suit with black accessories. After a wedding trip to New Mexico, they will reside in Lubbock, where

both are attending Texas Technological College.

Mrs. T. W. Neill Jr. Birthday Honoree

Mrs. T. W. Neill Jr. was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Woolf.

A five-course dinner with a two-tier cake bearing the words, "Happy Birthday" were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Neill Jr. and son, Wayne, Mrs. Neva Patterson and daughter, Geneva, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Neill Sr. and son, Joe, Mrs. A. G. Bingham, Wayland and Douglas Woolf and the host and hostess.

YWA Meeting Is Held Monday

Members of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Hamlin First Methodist Church met in regular session Monday with their counselor, Mrs. Ted Armstrong.

June Gillis was hostess and the meeting was held in the home of her aunt, Mrs. L. B. Maberry.

Mrs. P. D. Funderburk taught a

Has Operation. Mrs. Earl Gregory has returned from a Rotan hospital after undergoing major surgery, and is reported doing fine.



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"Faith" Used as
Literary Clubs' Subject Friday

ed to furnish resting room number one of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. James E. Simmons gave the critic's report.

Woman's Literary Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. O. Cassle. Members gave the club collect in unison to open the meeting with Mrs. W. L. Boyd Jr., as director.

In a business session the club vot-

topics: "Faith in Ourselves" by Mrs. Stanley Carmichael; "Faith in Our Children" by Mrs. Cliff Reynolds Jr.; "Faith in Our Clubs," by Mrs. Wallace Walton and "Faith in Our Churches" by Mrs. A. G. Irwin.

The group then discussed, "Returning to Religion."

The average American farmer is in the best financial condition he's ever been in before.

Roll call was answered with Bible quotations on "Faith." Mrs. Henry Albritton was director for the program on the subject, "Faith in Our Time."

A panel discussion on definition of faith was given with the following

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Mrs. J. H. Morton Hostess to TEL Class Thursday

Members of the TEL Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. J. H. Morton last Thursday for a 1:00 o'clock p. m. luncheon.

Mrs. H. O. Cassle was in charge during the social hour.

The president, Mrs. Roy Carmichael, presided during the brief business meeting. Mrs. W. R. Terry led in the opening prayer. Mrs. Kenneth Scott gave the devotional. Roll call was answered with each member naming the blessing for which they were most thankful.

Mrs. Bowen Pope, assistant teacher, gave a very interesting talk on "Thanksgiving."

The next meeting will be the Christmas party Thursday, December 4 in the home of Mrs. H. O. Cassle.

Those present for the luncheon were: Mmes. Etta Stephenson, teacher, Roy Carmichael, Bowen Pope, Frank Williams, H. O. Cassle, S. M. Richardson, Paul Bryan, W. S. Graham, W. W. Green, John Howard Jr., Y. A. McNeill, S. E. Jones, H. A. McWright, Kenneth Scott, W. R. Terry, Bert Whaley, O. L. Wallace, Tom Routh, W. B. Boyd and the hostess, Mrs. Morton.

Jones County's H. D. Council Has Regular Session

Jones County Home Demonstration Council met in a regular session in the county courtroom November 6 at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Max Harvey, chairman, called the meeting to order. Mrs. O. D. Bingham led the group in a song. Mrs. Karl Banneaux had charge of the recreation which consisted in a game identifying names of foods.

The following club women answered roll call for their club by telling what they had been doing: Mrs. A. B. Rainwater and C. D. Bingham, Carpenter's Gap club; Mrs. J. C. Williams, Avoca; Mrs. Dewey Ramsey and Mrs. W. J. Spurgin, Comperie; Mrs. H. H. Windham and J. A. St. John, Goodman; Mrs. Wayne Hendricks, Blue Bonnet; Mrs. J. E. McCaleb and Mrs. Fred Moore, of Hodges; Mrs. J. L. Woodson and Mrs. Iradelle Rogers, New Hope; Mrs. C. H. Young, Stamford; Mrs. Oran Brigham, Tuxedo; Mrs. Charlie Myatt, Willow Creek; Mrs. N. J. Mayfield and Mrs. Alford Mayfield, Union.

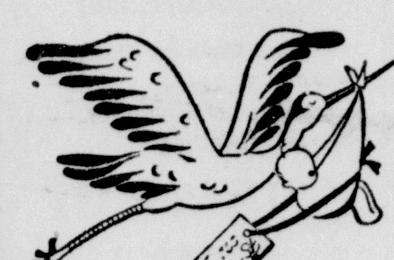
Sunday Guests

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Gregory Sunday were: Mrs. J. D. Wood and children of Celotex, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wood, Mrs. H. E. Wood of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cornelius of Ackery, Mr. T. W. Fleniken and children of Ropesville, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton and son of Sylvester, Mr. and Mrs. Maberry and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Newsom of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shaver and daughter of Seymour and Mrs. Charley Earley and children of Hamlin.

Baptist women are urged to bring their gifts of clothing to the church Monday. Mrs. J. W. Ezell, Mrs. Ben Parker, Mrs. Jack Miles and Mrs. R. C. Ritchey are members of this benevolence committee. The clothing should be clean. It will be packed and shipped to the needy in the European countries.

Seth Neill has finished his student trips as brakeman on the Santa Fe Railroad. He is now running on a train out of Slaton.

Blessed Events



Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Haught are the proud parents of twin girls born October 27 in a hospital in Rotan. Both tipped the scales at five pounds. They have been named Lavonie Sue and Virginia Lou. The mother is the former Betty Cozen.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn are parents of a son, Tommy Wayne, born Wednesday, November 12.

Mr. and Mrs. LaFoy Patterson are the parents of a daughter, born Thursday, November 13 at 12:40 a.m.

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Personally Speaking

home with Mrs. W. J. Poe.

Mrs. J. E. Cory, who has been quite ill recently, is reported much improved.

C. D. Hudson of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Browning and son, Steve, of Hutchinson, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Misner and Bobby of Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hudson for the Armistice holidays.

Miss Mary Boyd and Glenn Heath of Lubbock spent Tuesday night in Hamlin with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albritton.

Mary Louise McCleskey, senior at McMurry College, Abilene, from Van Horn, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon R. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Johnson of Abilene spent the weekend and Armistice Day here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbert of Abilene spent Armistice Day in Hamlin.

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We wish to express sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral offerings and the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and at the passing of our beloved wife and mother.—C. E. Watson and children. 1c

Lost and Found

LOST—A brown billfold at Harley Sadler Show October 27. Will the finder please return the billfold and papers, and keep the money. Please return to owner or leave at The Herald office or hand to Mr. Foster. —H. L. Neal, Route 3, Hamlin. 1p

LOST—Large wagon sheet on Rotan highway; finder please return to G. A. Seymore. 1p

LOST—Box of fishing tackle between Hamlin and Rotan. Finder return to Stanley Carmichael. 2-3c

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Business

TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

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JOHN CHISUM, CATTLEMAN
FROM THE CONCHO

John Chisum, cattle king of West

Texas and more recently of western New Mexico, urged his horse southward towards the Rio Grande and Old Mexico. "I believe we can catch the thieves this time," he promised his four accompanying cowhands as they followed the trail left by 1,200 head of stolen cowponies. Three years had passed since the close of the Civil War, and Texans, just beginning to find markets for their cattle, had to fight rustlers of

every type. And the horse thief was one of them.

Chisum had been correct about the robbers. The white rustlers, aided by Mexican freebooters, were depending on speed alone and had left their flanks wide open to attack. Chisum saw their weakness and at the Horsehead Crossing of the Pecos was able to capitalize on it. Strategically deploying his men, three of the thieves were killed and the entire horse herd recovered.

But he had not been so fortunate with his cattle. In supplying his first big government contract of 10,000 beehives to Fort Sumner, Chisum had more than half of the herd stolen. And six steers, out of 1,100, was all that was left of a herd being delivered to Fort Sumner.

John Chisum was a new comer to the territory of New Mexico but not to the cattle industry. He had started in the cattle business while in East Texas back in 1854. Here for three consecutive years he had trailed his herds to Shreveport, Louisiana and seen them shipped by steamboat to market. But more grazing room was needed and for the past four years Chisum had turned his extensive herd of longhorns loose on the open range of the West Texas Concho country; he was conceded as being the first cattleman in that region.

He is said to have left the Concho country to R. F. Tankersley, a distant neighbor since 1864, when he decided to move closer to market at Fort Sumner. His trail led west from the lush regions of the Concho River, through the lands of the mesquite and pear trees south of the Llano Estacado, and on to the Horsehead Crossing of the Pecos, before it swung northward.

But the railroads were pushing westward, and two years after his final move Chisum was driving cattle to Abilene and then Dodge City, Kansas, as well as west to Tucson, Arizona and San Carlos Apache reservation also in Arizona, and to the Gila River. Never a season from now on but that he had three or four herds on the move to different markets at the same time.

And whether or not he was an originator of the famous old Chisum or Chisholm Trail that became a northern outlet for all of Texas in its search for a cattle market, no one knows; but certainly he was closely associated with it and became a persistent contributor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin of Longview spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin.

Business Activity Show Little Change; Inflation Still the Biggest Threat Now

Hamilton Herald readers will be interested to read the following release on business situations prepared by Dr. John R. Stockton, statistician of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. The business activity in Texas during September remained practically unchanged from August, according to the composite index compiled by the research.

Each of the summer months showed an increase over the preceding month, and both July and August set new highs for post-war business activity.

The Bureau's index declined very slightly during September, but the dip was not enough to be considered a significant change from the August level. Adjustment for seasonal variation has removed from the data the effect of the traditional "summer slump," which is particularly noticeable in retail trade.

Practically all of the setback in the composite index of Texas business activity was a result of the composite index of Texas business activity was a result of the setback of the seven per cent drop in department and apparel store sales. Crude runs to mills, electric power consumption, freight carloadings and employment all registered advances, while the pay roll index declined fractionally.

Farm income continued to lend heavy support to the situation, with the total of cash income for the sale of farm products estimated by the Bureau to be \$221,029,000 in the month of September for a 64 per cent hike over September 1946 intake. With the continued demand for relief abroad added to the demand at home created by the high level of income, the prices of farm products show no sign of dropping from their present high levels.

In a situation that resembles 1930 in so many ways, there is surprisingly little protest on the part of consumers, and buyer resistance seems to be having very little effect on the demand for high priced foods.

Dollar volume on durable goods

store sales are below the peak levels of 1946, but total retail sales continue to climb during the month. The upward surge of sales of durable goods stores has been strong enough to raise the volume of total sales to an all-time high in September.

Building throughout the State soared to unexpected heights in September and contributed heavily to supporting the healthy business outlook. The Bureau's index of building permits for Texas cities rose to 679 in comparison with the pre-war base of 100. Permits were 76 per cent ahead of a year ago figures and represented the highest crest yet reached by the index.

Despite all the optimistic indicators, however, inflation still loomed as the number one enemy of Texas' business.

Personal News

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pinson and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Pinson, all of Brownwood, visited their aunt, Mrs. A. G. Hudson and Miss Pearl Hudson last Thursday.

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S. A. Gray of Belton returned home Friday after spending three weeks here with his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Courtney.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lois Hall and baby of Oklahoma have been here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Miller.

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MSgt. and Mrs. James A. Parker of Hobbs, New Mexico spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Parker and family.

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Jesse Courtney of Abilene visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Courtney, Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Kay, Peggy and Wiley of Brownfield and Miss Frankie Dell Gant of Sherman spent the week-end with Mrs. J. H. Burkett and family.

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J. A. Rector of Dalhart spent last week-end with his wife, Mrs. Flora Lee Rector, and daughter, Judy.

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Mrs. R. E. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Van Huling and Ottie Huling spent Sunday in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Mallonee and family.

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By Jeanelle Bryant

Better start digging out those red flannels as Old Man Winter is definitely on his way if we can judge by his heavy frost and freeze which visited this community Friday morning. We doubted that there was ice until we called the Santa Fe Railway office and got verification of the rumors that those early risers had been spreading. They tell us the thermometer reading at 5:00

o'clock a. m. was exactly 32 degrees. Sorry, we didn't get up early enough to see that frozen water. But H. W. Madden at the Neinda Gin did and evidently rushed into town to tell the city folks about it. If he hadn't we might never have known the news. Not that is cooperation, we say.

An advertising salesman for The Herald recently was a little taken back by the reception he received at Euell's Dress Shop. Before he could get inside the front door, Mrs. Carter rushed to meet him and took him by the arm, not to lead him to a chair but to turn him around and guide him outward; as it seems, a customer was trying on a dress without bothering to retire to the dressing room. And on the way out Mrs. Carter gave the salesman

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All America was shocked by the news of Ambassador John G. Winant's tragic death. He must have been a very fine person, one who sacrificed his life for his country just as nobly as the soldier who died on the battlefield. Why do we say that? Simply because if you study his life you will readily understand how he worked long hard hours, not even taking time off to seek protection in a shelter during an air raid. He worked 14 to 16 hours daily during the war.

Nat Barrows stated in a story that he had discussed with Winant during the war, prospects of being able to sit around and fish and never worry again about the state of the world. Winant replied, "It's pleasant to dream but unrealistic. One can never go back. Once you've reached a certain level or responsibility there is no retreat. You could never live with yourself, never be happy, if you failed to do the best job you know, where you can do it the best way."

We conclude from all this and other information concerning his life that in trying to slow down it was too much of a strain on the nerves. And then again, the deplorable condition of the world might have been too heavy a load on his great mind. He didn't lack courage, we know that from reports of the many problems he has faced and solved. Anyhow, America owes John G. Winant a great debt for the splendid role of ambassador to all Britain.

Jeff D. Ray, internationally-known religious writer, stated recently that, "Work is nature's best tonic and religion nobles ally." He also added, "A man must be tired before he can rest." Well, honest-

ly, we have oft times wondered if those town loafers could truly rest when they retire each night but their tongues are probably tired from hours of idle talk and in that manner insure sleep. But sometimes we think it would be rather nice to hours of idle talk and in that manner be able to loaf, at least for a season. We have been much too tired to sleep many times but never yet have we fallen victim to insomnia from lack of work. It would be a change anyhow.

We should begin thinking of the many blessings we have for which to be thankful this Thanksgiving Day. Sure you think we are being a trifle premature, but it will take you from now until November 27 to count all those blessings. Try it and see.

No wonder the girls nowadays do not get married as young as they did several years ago. With the fad of wearing those faded rolled-legged blue jeans and bright shirts with the tails out, loafer shoes, etc. what young man could dream of such a queer looking creature cooking his meals, keeping house or mothering children. But just as well they don't marry so young, we suppose.

Gas Prices Stable as Tank Rate Goes Up

Retail gasoline prices still had not advanced Wednesday in Hamlin and in other towns of this section of the state, after tank wagon prices of the motor fuel rose a half cent last week. The service stations were absorbing the advance. The Herald was informed in a check-up yesterday.

Price of gasoline had advanced a cent a gallon about 90 days ago after a one-half cent advance in the tank wagon price.

Price of gasoline was 22 and 24 cents per gallon in Hamlin in all stations contacted.

DR. Q. DON GOULD

News Briefs From Stonewall County

A large number of petit jurors have been summoned for service in the Stonewall County district court meeting at Aspermont this week. Sheriff B. O. Hawkin, accompanied by two special officers from the Liquor Control Board uncovered a whiskey still in the shinny north of Swenson last week. Still was not in operation in the shinny, but had been recently, and no one found at the scene. Aspermont Hornets defeated Abilene Frosh footballers 13 to 6. This week the Leuders team plays Aspermont. Little or no Hallowe'en damage was reported throughout the county. Stonewall County Farm Bureau held a county-wide meeting at the courthouse last Thursday. Stamford District Methodists held a district conference at the Weimar Methodist Church Wednesday.

A Shocking Scene.

A dear old lady was passing a rural stream where a company of soldiers were enjoying a cool swim. The lack of bathing trunks was obvious.

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Wallace Says Little Likelihood of Conflict

Wallace, who arrived in Rome for a short stay after visiting in Palestine, cited the recent agreement between the U. S. and Russia on the Palestinian problem as an important symptom of the easing of tension between the two powers, and said only the solution of the Palestinian problem was essential to the preservation of world peace.



Admiration's

\$5,000 "My Favorite Grocer" Contest

Your "Favorite Grocer" may be the little store around the corner—or a huge Super-Market on a busy thoroughfare—just tell why in fifty words or less. If your entry is judged best, you'll win the \$1,000 Grand Prize—and \$500 for your "Favorite Grocer." Every winning contestant wins a special prize for his or her "Favorite Grocer." Send in your entry now—you may win one of the weekly prizes and still be eligible for the Grand Prizes! The weekly prizes include Philco refrigerators, Westinghouse electric roasters and irons, Dormeyer electric mixers, Manning-Bowman electric percolators, Dominion electric toasters—and many other prizes. Enter Now!

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1. Simply complete this statement in fifty words or less "Your favorite grocery store's name" is my favorite grocer because.....
2. Write on one side of paper (or get an entry blank from your grocer) and mail to Admiration Contest, Box 285, Houston, Texas. Be sure to include your name and address and name and address of your grocer.
3. You may send as many entries as you wish but each entry must be accompanied by one of these: The Mammy picture (or label) from an Admiration Coffee package or jar—or the strip that unwinds from an Admiration vacuum can.
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10 ways you can help yourself to good telephone service

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1. Before you call, make sure of the number. If you're not sure of it, look in the telephone directory, and thus avoid wrong numbers.
2. Give the called party time to answer. He or she may be some distance from the telephone. A minute isn't too long.
3. Speak directly into the mouthpiece. About an inch between it and your lips is right for best results.
4. Move the switch hook slowly up and down to recall or signal the operator. "Jiggling" the hook rapidly often won't cause a signal to come in and is useless.
5. Replace the receiver carefully when you have finished talking. A receiver partly off the hook puts the whole line out of order.
6. Answer calls promptly. It's courteous to do so and often keeps the caller from hanging up—thinking you're not at home.
7. Identify yourself when you call or answer. Not everyone recognizes you by your voice. Telling who you are saves time and sometimes embarrassment.
8. Space calls on party lines. If you have a series of calls to make, allow a few minutes between each one so others can use the line to call or be called.
9. Keep calls brief on party lines. Other folks on the line will appreciate your thoughtfulness and—who knows—may follow your good example.
10. Avoid calling in busy hours if possible. Switchboards are usually busiest during midmorning and late afternoon.

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Kitchen Craft Flour Top Quality	10-Lb. Bag	97c
Gold Medal Flour Kitchen-Tested	10-Lb. Bag	97c
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Sunny Distilled Vinegar	Quart Bot.	10c

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News Briefs From Fisher County

Rotan's VFW Post really put on a good Armistice Day program Tuesday, featuring a dance, parade, two football games and memorial service. . . Rotan Baptists are collecting clothing for needy European countries. . . J. A. Burk of Roby and R. Lee Williams of Rotan were renamed directors of the Roby National Farm Loan Association. . . Mrs. Delma Bales Scott, Fisher County home demonstration agent, conducted a training school on the art of gracious living at a meeting last week in Roby. . . John Charlie Preston, negro, charged with four counts on robbery and assault of Willard Burk near Roby, has been from Arizona. . . Roby will soon have a complete butchering and curing plant. . . Roby First Baptist Church is planning to redecorate the building. . . New bleachers have been completed at Roby High School. . . Fisher County Fair at Roby drew a big crowd last week.

Success cannot be measured alone by where a man stands but must be measured by where he stands in relation to where he should stand.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, the famous writer, was a doctor by profession and a teacher of anatomy.

Stamford Man Heads Red Cross Chapter in County

Annual meeting of the Jones County chapter of the American Red Cross was held in Stamford Monday evening, November 3, in the Chamber of Commerce office.

L. H. McBride, Hamlin, chairman, presided for the business meeting. Reports were given by A. C. Bishop of Stamford, home service chairman, Mrs. L. B. McFarland, Anson, junior red cross chairman and Mrs. Beck, Anson, water safety and life-saving chairman.

R. K. Rowland, member of the nominating committee, presented the following names of officers for the coming year: Hubert Watson, Stamford, as chairman; George Harrell, Anson, as chlice chairman; Pauline McKinley, Stamford, as secretary and Arlene Bryant, Hamlin, as treasurer. All officers were elected unanimously. They will take office immediately.

Attending the meeting were: L. H. McBride and Haskell Carter, Disaster Chairman of Hamlin; Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Beck of Anson; A. C. Bishop, R. K. Rowland, Fayle Kelley, Dorothy Luck and also Olive McDougle all of Stamford.

Felix Bagwell Finishes Recruit Training Course

Felix Donald Bagwell, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde J. Bagwell of Hamlin, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, California, and has been advanced to seaman, second class.

In this course, Bagwell was taught seamanship, Navy customs and terms, basic ordnance and gunnery, signaling and navigation. He learned proper diving and swimming, life-saving and shipboard fire fighting.

Bagwell arrived in Hamlin last Friday to spend eight days leave here with his parents. Upon return-

ing to his base he will either be assigned to the fleet or to a service school for specialized training.

Vets X-Rays Useful In Anti-TB Program

Veterans Administration reminds Hamlin area veterans and others of the fact that the administration is the custodian of more than 53,000 Army chest X-ray films of World War II veterans, which it will use in its long-range anti-tuberculosis program.

Veterans Administration records show that about 23,000 veterans of World War II are drawing compensation for tuberculosis contracted in the service. Included in the three state figures Texas was highest with 817.

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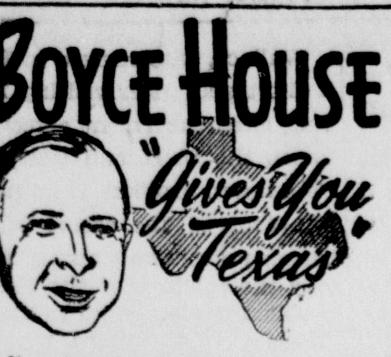
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one of the railroad stations (which are constructed in mission style) and point it out as one of the historic landmarks. Thus, the visitors went back home up North happy at having seen—as they thought—San Jose and their hosts were happy, too, at having saved some time.

Bert Williams was the most famous comedian of his day. It is related that while he was at the height of his fame, he saw a sign, "Amateur Night," in front of a cheap theater, so he entered the contest, went out and sang one of his comic songs in his inimitable manner and won—second prize!

There ought to be some sort of moral in that, but I haven't time to figure it out.

The national House and Senate talk about "free enterprise"—and then pass a law that restricts the amount of sugar that the United States will have for the next three years to 85 per cent of the pre-war amount; and at the same time assure the price will be higher.

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Q.—How can a poultry raiser overcome dirty eggs?

A.—To insure clean eggs from your hens, be sure to observe the following practices: 1. Provide one nest for each seven hens. (2) Keep floor covered with good litter. (3) Keep nests well littered with shavings, excelsior or straw. (4) Keep gathering eggs. (5) Pack eggs in under-side of perches covered with 1½-inch mesh 16-gauge wire. (6) Keep hens in house when yards are muddy. (6) Have hands clean when mortality figure means an increase in production costs, including feed for those pigs that fall by the wayside. At the research farm of a famous feed concern where a program of breeding, feeding, management and sanitation is followed, about 79 per cent of the pigs farrowed are raised to market.

Q.—What percentage of pigs that are farrowed are raised to market? Can this percentage be increased?

A.—According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, normally only 56 per cent of the pigs that are farrowed reach market age. This high good cases with clean fillers and flats.

Q.—What causes milk to become

ropy after it has stood a while, and how can this condition be prevented?

A.—Ropey milk should not be confused with stringy, clotted, gargety milk from mastitis infected cows. Ropely milk may look normal as it comes from the cow and usually the ropely condition is not apparent until it has stood for several hours during which time the types of bacteria responsible for this condition have had a chance to multiply. Bacteria causing this condition are usually found in stagnant water, and the trouble is apt to occur when cows get out on pasture and wallow in ponds or swampy places. Improper sterilization or rinsing milking utensils with impure water may cause contamination. This trouble can easily be overcome by improved sanitation practices.

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Supervisors Approve 10 Additional Farms At Recent Meeting

Hamlin farmers are informed this week that agreements were approved on 10 additional farms during the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the California Creek Soil Conservation District in the month of October.

In addition nine new applications for the district assistance were approved.

The farm plans signed into the agreements comprised 2,083 acres, the report stated. They were scattered throughout the district having been in conservation groups previously approved. The applications covering 2,018 acres were as follows: A. R. Watson, Edgar Quade, E. A. Schaake, D. W. Counts, J. H. Walsh, Glyn G. Quade, Omar Burleson and Boyd Lackey.

It has been suggested that those who are anticipating a need for district assistance should make applications now in order that plans may be completed before the practices are applied. This will help prevent a peak load of work at the time frost comes and crops are harvested. This will enable the small staff available for this year's work to better serve more cooperators. A coordinated soil and moisture conservation plan must be made available for the entire farm before technical assistance can be made available for the installation of any part of the plan.

Bates Transferred.

Mrs. Ella Burns, sister, and Mrs. Dwaine Carter, niece of E. M. Bates of South Gate, California, went to Abilene last week to visit with Mr. Bates as he passed through there enroute to Atlanta, Georgia, where he is being transferred from South Gate to the new General Motors plant, as supervisor of all materials for that company.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson was brought home from a Stamford hospital Friday and is reported doing nicely at the family home.

Go To Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jones are in Temple this week, where Mr. Moss and Mr. Jones will have medical check-ups.

"African People To Be Subject For WMS Program

Members of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet at the Baptist church Monday afternoon to hear a missionary program on the subject, "Peoples of Africa."

Mrs. Ernest Jenkins will be in charge of this program with several women to take part in the discussion.

Every woman who is interested in missionary work is urged to attend this service.

Last Monday the four circles met for the Bible study lessons on "Prayer."

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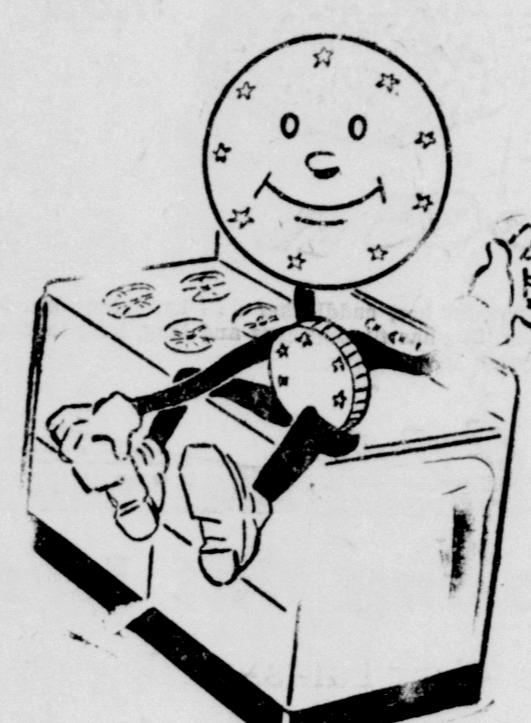
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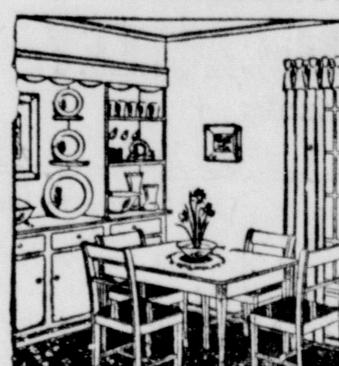
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POT-SHOTS FROM McCARLEY

By GEORGE DARDEN

Still blowing about our football team Yes, McCauley High School six man football team closed the season Friday by soundly defeating the fast Needle team by a score of 61-6, there by keeping the record of undefeated and untied for the past two seasons and too, once again the McCauley Eagles are district champions. Our hats off to our team and Coach Webb and for the fine sportsmanship they have manifested throughout the years. Yep, the entire citizenship are proud of McCauley High Eagles and we are looking forward to winning basketball teams. But win or loose we are all in there pitching for the home town kids.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miers have purchased a 460-acre farm in the Hobbs

community and will move to their new home the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fancher have purchased a farm on the Plains and their plans are to move by January 1.

The cotton crop for this community is a thing of the past with the exception of scraping a few scattering bolls. The McCauley cotton gin will be forced to close for the season on account of no water to operate the steam plant unless rain comes within the next few days.

Jim Fancher was home over the week-end from the Plains. He is employed as a ginner at Union farm community southwest of Lamesa.

W. W. and Howard Miers from Lamesa visited Monday with relatives in McCauley.

Tom Price underwent major surgery at a hospital in Rotan 1 week. His condition is serious at this writing.

Well, folks, it is about time old man winter blows into town. These morning are getting rather "chilly."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maberry have sold their farm consisting of 320-acres to J. T. Smith of Plasterco. The Maberry's plan to buy irrigated land on the Plains.

L. R. Maberry who recently sold his farm in this community to Vernon Harris is prospecting on the Plains.

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uary 1, in town of McCauley. See George Darden.

Jim Pope left Sunday for the Plains, where he will be employed at a gin for rest of the season.

Rev. and Mrs. Temple Lewis and children and Genene Houghton visited Sunday afternoon in the Darden home. Bro. Lewis is the Baptist pastor at Royston.

Well folks, pretty soon it will be Thanksgiving. Folks will travel far and near to eat turkey and dressing with friends and relatives and the football games all over the country will really get a gate. But out of our hearts we should surely be very thankful for the many blessings that have come our way. Good crops, plenty to eat and wear can be boasted of in many parts of the world. Let's be gay, yet humble on Thanksgiving Day.

Billie Max Waldrop from Dallas visited her mother and family, Mrs. E. C. Waldrop over the week-end.

Mail in your news to this column as old man winter is on his way and we won't get around much until the flowers bloom in the spring.

Hands Injured.

Gordon Sproles is recovering from injuries received to both hands several days ago at the oil mill. One hand was broken and the other one fractured. He is able to be out and go to the mill to partly perform his duties.

Mrs. C. E. Watson Dies Sunday After Lingering Illness

Mrs. C. E. Watson, 63, died at 1:00 o'clock a. m. Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Nuckles at 1109 South 7th Street in Abilene after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Watson was born March 3, 1884. She had made her home in Abilene since she became ill several months ago.

Funeral services were held at the Hamlin Church of Christ Monday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Ministers Bailey and Bruce Proctor, both of Abilene, officiating.

Interment was in the East Cemetery with Barrow Funeral Home in charge.

Besides the husband, survivors include two sons, J. W. Watson of

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East Extension Try for Round Top Oil Field

Two New Areas Opened in Jones; Two Extensions

Oil Activity on Increase in Section

An extension try to extend production to the east in the Round Top deep field, 10 miles west of Hamlin, has been announced. Ellis A. Hall has filed application to drill the No. 1 G. A. Poe et al, 645 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west line of the Taylor survey.

The new location is about a mile east and slightly north of the pool opener, and is a permit for 6,000 feet, which would include a test of the Ellerburger. Production in the pool is from Crinoidal lime at about 4,900 feet.

In the same area, failure in the Ellerburger has been reported for the Ellis A. Hall No. 2-A J. B. Terrell, 1,980 feet from the north and 1,900 from the east line of section 31, block 1 of the H&TC survey, which was deepened after failing to find production in the reef at 5,030 feet. It was abandoned at 5,992 feet after water had been encountered in the Ellerburger.

Oil activities perked up in Jones County this week with the discovery of two new producing areas and extensions of two others. Closest new production area to Hamlin is at the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation No. 1 E. V. Hardwick, about 13 miles east of Hamlin and eight miles north of Anson.

The well, which is listed as a wildcat because of a dry hole drilled between it and the Hardwick pool half mile to the south, was set casing Saturday after drillstem testing showed oil in the Hardwick sand from 3,675-80 feet.

On the first drillstem test, from 3,675-81 feet, the well showed gas at the surface in five minutes and after 15 minutes recovered 620 feet of oil and 70 feet of muddy water.

On a second test from 3,680-86 feet, it had gas at surface in 11 minutes and recovered 1,560 feet of oil and 150 feet of water. The water on both tests was not believed to be from the formation.

Following the second test an additional 10 foot section was cored and then drilling was resumed. It was to be drilled through the sand or into water, then set casing and complete through casing perforations.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, December 4.

Local Hunters Plan Annual Deer Quest

A number of local deer hunters are expected to leave during the week-end on their pilgrimages to the hill country. Lots of venison has been promised unfortunate stay-at-homers.

One party will be composed of Ted Russell, Jack Russell, E. J. Whaley, Herman McBride, Art Stan Carmichael and they will hunt in Mason County. Jolly Toler and Ted Hardin will be in another group composed of several from out-of-town.

There may be others, but if so they'll tell The Herald about it when they get back, provided? ? ?

Elementary P-TA Awards Room Prizes At Meet

Members of the Elementary Parent-Teachers Association met Thursday afternoon, November 6 for the regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Gordon Bennett led the opening prayer.

Miss Harriett Evans introduced several of her pupils in a Thanksgiving play. Miss Maggie Seymour presented some of her students with songs and poems and the pupils of Mrs. Leon Brown presented a play.

Mrs. O. D. Roland, president, was in the chair during the business meeting. Prizes were awarded the winners of the membership drive, with Mrs. C. V. Shelton's room (6-C) winning first, \$15; Mrs. Herman Treadwell's room (6-A) winning the second, \$10; and Mrs. Aline Chambers' room, third (6-B), \$7.50. Honorable mention was given Mrs. Fred Smith's room (2-A).

The organization voted to equip the first aid room in the Primary building with supplies as a permanent project.

Mrs. Eddie Jay introduced the speaker, Superintendent I. R. Hutchingson, who spoke on, "Schooling for the Years Ahead." He pointed out that better understanding and cooperation were the keys to better the parent-teacher relations.

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Square Dance Team Performs At Rule Armistice

Hamlin's square dance team, the "Promenadors," was given a grand reception at Rule, Tuesday, November 11 at the dance given in the Rule American Legion Hut. They were asked to give two exhibition dances during the evening and complimented for their ability in the other dances.

They have given a number of exhibition dances at various places during the summer and also at home.

The team consists of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Witt, Don Ray Harrison, Miss Bonnie La Rue Black and Miss Jarita Durham.

Also accompanying the team to Rule were: Mr. and Mrs. Cag Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hudson and Miss Glenna Fudge.

McCaulley Eagles Wallop Noodle 11 To Close Second Undefeated Season

McCaulley Eagles rolled over the Noodle football team Friday 52-6 for their sixteenth straight victory and their second undefeated, untied season. This brought the Eagles the district championship for the second time for six-man teams of its district.

Eagles have rolled up a total of 21 points for a game average of 0 this season while their opponents have scored a total of 38 for a game average of less than five points.

Scores were made for the grand total for the year by the following:

Joe Houghton (deceased), 16 touchdowns and no extra points.

Willard Gismon, 10 touchdowns and one extra point.

Superintendent W. W. Webb of McCaulley Schools announced, "The Eagles will have all but three of their squad back next year and expect another good team."

Hamlin Memorial Hospital Ready For Equipment and Furniture



THE HAMLIN MIGHTY MICE—Champions of the Junior Grid League—They've done it again—the Hamlin Mighty Mice are again champions of the Junior Schoolboy League of which they are a member. Although they still have to play Merkel and Roby juniors on November 13 and 20, respectively, their overwhelming triumph over Anson Tiger Cubs last Thursday night, make them the 1947 champions. They rolled to easy wins over the two teams earlier in the fall. During the past two seasons they have won 10 games, and tied two. On last Thursday night they walloped

Anson 19 to 6. Dean making the lone score after an 80-yard drive in the first half. During the third quarter, Dean racked up another, this time racing for 70 for the score and added their final score in the fourth quarter. The Mice were never forced to punt. Anson's lone tally came late in the final stanza when Thompson broke through the right tackle position for 65 yards. Members of the squad are: bottom row, left to right: Kevon Rogers, R. L. Goodgame, Marvin Johnson, Fred Winslett, Don Kelly, Guy Weaver, Robert Bonner, Richard Clemmer, Bedford Bigham, Charles Early and

Jon Adams. Middle row: Nelson Lowe, David Butler, Jim Harwell, Jerry Seymour, Gerald Elder, Bobby Frank, Troyce Hargrove, Don Elmore, David Ford, Frank Tucker, Freddy Griffin and Clark Hewitt. Top row: Coach G. T. Black, Robert Fletcher, Dean Phipps, James Jenkins, Charles Don Nelson, Gerald Fudge, Lucas Bryson, Joe Allen Dean, Loyce Hargrove, Sherrod Shaffer, John Edgar Rowland, Ben Hill Turner and Coach Joe King. Not pictured are Herbert Hopper, Kenneth Melton and Harold Smith finish the Mighty Mice players.

Union Thanksgiving Service Set at First Baptist Church Auditorium

John Osteen New Alliance President

Preliminary plans for the annual community-wide Thanksgiving service were made at a meeting of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance last week. The service will be held at 7:00 o'clock p. m. Wednesday evening, November 26 in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church. Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church will bring the Thanksgiving message.

A special feature of the program, a special offering will be taken, the funds to be used for buying anything needed at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital.

Officers for the coming year were also elected at the meeting were:

Rev. John H. Osteen, Hamlin First

Baptist pastor, was named president

succeeding Rev. J. T. Crawford,

pastor of the Church of the Nazarene; Dr. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church is vice-president and Rev. Alice Harrell, pastor of the Four Square Gospel Church, secretary-treasurer.

Hamlin FFA Boys Named Officers in Area Organization

Two Hamlin boys were elected officers of Area Four, Future Farmers of America, at a meeting held in Abilene. Jack Willingham, president of the Hamlin chapter last year, was elected first vice-president and Clifton Townsend was named to the post of secretary. Jimmy Darling of Abilene was elected president. Other officers elected included:

Howard Edwards, lawn, second vice-president; Jimmy Morgan, Wylie, third vice-president; Knox Waggoner, Baird, treasurer; W. E. O'Kelly, Trent, reporter; Weldon Steed, Trent, parliamentarian; Joe Mitchell,

O. B. Edmondson, Cross Plains teacher who met with the group to assist in the organizational work, was elected advisor. D Wade King of Anson and Gilbert Brandenburger of Stamford were elected committee-men to assist the president.

Tentative plans for future activities include: judging contests, district banquet, chapter conducting contest, public speaking, a basketball tournament and a summer encampment.

Howard Fought, seven touchdowns and three extra points.

W. A. Hawkins, four touchdowns and 18 extra points.

Howard Lawlis, four touchdowns and three extra points.

James L. Ladd, four touchdowns and no extra points.

Charlie Lee, one touchdown and five extra points.

Paul Waldrop, one touchdown and three extra points.

Tyrus Hicks, one touchdown and no extra points.

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their squad back next year and expect another good team."

Already doped to lose tonight, the Pied Pipers will also have to face the fury of the Anson Tigers, who were humiliated 46-13 last Friday night by the rampaging Stamford Bulldogs. Catching the revenge-seeking Tigers on the rebound would be no fun for teams equal to the Tigers. Next Friday night the season closes with the locals journeying to Haskell for a battle with the Haskell Indians.

Play Anson Tonight. The Albany-Hamlin game until the last quarter and it was only in the final minutes that both teams scored.

The Pied Pipers took over on their own 29 yard line, and made a sus-

tained drive down the field to pay

dirt. R. A. Boyd went over for the

touchdown from the three yard line.

Hamlin then kicked off and the

Lions brought it back to the 36. On

the first play from scrimmage A. B. Jones Jr., heaved a pass down to

the 20 yard line where it was taken by Gene Jumper, and he went over from there with only two minutes left to play. The play was good for 64 yards.

Hamlin returned the kickoff to the 35 and tried the line for one play. A pass on the next play was intercepted by Jumper. Albany took to the air again, and Miller's pass to Jumper was good for 36 yards to the two. Another attempted pass was incomplete on the last play of the game.

Bill Jones was outstanding in the Albany line. Hamlin's stars were Boyd and Ford.

Conference Standings

Conference standing for the 11-A teams to date follow:

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Stamford	5	0	1	1.000
Anson	4	1	0	.800
Throckmorton	3	1	0	.750
Munday	2	3	0	.400
Haskell	1	3	0	.250
Albany	0	3	1	.000
Hamlin	0	7	1	.000

Results of other area games fol-

low from last week's playing.

Stamford 46, Anson 13.

Throckmorton 48, Haskell 13.

Munday 34, Spur 0.

Merkel 13, Rotan 0.

Snyder 21, Slaton 0.

Colorado City 33, Roby 6.

Score in Final Minutes.

The Albany-Hamlin game was anybody's game until the last quarter and it was only in the final minutes that both teams scored.

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Hall.

Announcement was made this week of the sale of the Hamlin Home & Auto Supply Store, owned by Mr. Leavitt of Stamford, to Roy Hartgroves of Sweetwater. Mr. Hartgroves assumed charge of the business last week. Pete Bond, manager of the store, since this spring, will be connected with the firm for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartgroves and their son, Michael, will move to Hamlin to make their home as soon as possible.

Called To Uvalde.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Funderburk and sons left Tuesday night for Uvalde to be at the bedside of her father, who is seriously ill with heart ailment. He lives in Harper but had been moved to Uvalde for treatment.

Birthdays Getting Common; Herald Observes Its 43rd

"All that is lacking now at the Hamlin Hospital is cleaning of the grounds and laying of walks. Attaching water, gas and electricity and installing furniture and medical equipment is next in order. All these features will be made ready as fast as the various items arrive," Bowen Pope informed The Herald this week.

Dr. J. F. Hocott, who has been announced to head the staff has been in Hamlin only a few days, with temporary office over the Waggoner Drug Store, has gone to Galveston this week to accept a four-day offer of a special University course in Pathology. This is a feature sponsored by the State Department of Health, and Dr. Hocott is one of 100 young physicians to get this course are being paid by the state.

Last week also marked the second year of ownership by the present owners, who purchased it from Bowen Pope, at the helm for nearly 32 years. This week, incidentally, clos-

es the first year for the present editor-manager, Donald B. Bryant. Considerable progress has been made during the paper's 42 years. The paper has been enlarged from a six-column 13-em paper to the standard seven column, 12-em paper and prints 3 to 12 pages weekly, depending to a great part on the newsprint situation.

Mechanically, the paper's plant now includes a different cylinder press with attached folder (first in its history) on which the paper is printed; considerable new type, an electric paper drill, power paper cutter and other nameless improvements.

The publishers and the management express appreciation for the way in which their services are patronized and pledge anew that The Herald will continue to serve in the coming year as it has in the past.

Cotton Parity Reaches New High of 29.64c to Help Sagging Cotton Price

Jones County and area cotton growers were elated over the gradual climb in the parity price for cotton which last week reached a new high of 29.64 cents per pound. In the face of declining open market quotations on the staple, the new high parity appeared as a rainbow in the otherwise cloudy outlook for cotton.

Cotton prices declined almost \$5

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special session of Congress. Prices were generally irregular during the remainder of the week.

Reported sales in the 10 spot markets totaled 438,000 bales as compared with 584,800 for last week and with 119,300 during the corresponding week in 1946. Sales were down sharply from the extremely large volume of last week but were still very large.

Farmers continued to sell freely in most sections of the belt. Merchants and shippers were offering freely and selling in volume. Mill demand continued strong for both prompt and forward delivery. The demand for textiles continued strong with prices firm to higher. The Commodity Credit Corporation had received reports through October 24 covering 100,200 bales pledged under the 1947 cotton loan program as compared with 48,900 bales through October 17. Registered sales under the export program increased 9,400 bales for the week ended October 23. This brings the total for the season to 140,100 bales.

Ginnings through October 17 totaled about 6,750,000 bales. Picking and ginning made generally good progress throughout most of the belt. However, rains in the southeast and showers in other sections of the belt caused some delay.

Prices for middling 15-16 inch cotton in the 10 spot markets averaged 32.25 cents per pound last Thursday, as compared with 33.19 a week earlier and 30.14 cents on the corresponding Thursday in 1946. Average for the week ended Wednesday was 32.65 cents per pound as compared with 32.09 for the preceding week. Prices dropped sharply following the announcement of a

Parity price of cotton as of mid-October was 29.64 cents per pound for middling $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, according to the B.A.E. This is a record high and compares with a revised figure for September of 29.51 cents and with 25.67 in October, 1946. The current parity equivalent for middling 15-16 inch in the 10 spot markets is approximately 31.55 cents per pound. The index of prices paid by farmers including interest and taxes upon which parity is based reached an all-time high of 239 in October compared with 238 for September.

This rise in parity resulted from higher prices for food, building materials and miscellaneous supplies. Prices received by farmers for cotton as of October 15 averaged 30.65 cents per pound as compared with 31.21 in September and 33.15 in October, 1946. The farm price was 103 per cent of parity in October as compared with 106 in September and 141 in October, 1946.

Vets May Obtain High School Diploma

Approximately 2,000,000 veterans of which those of the Hamlin area is included who had their secondary education interrupted by the war may, in most cases, obtain high school diplomas by taking tests given at the Veterans Testing Service agencies located in all parts of the country, VA reported to The Herald this week.

The agencies, organized by state departments of education and not by the Veterans Administration, are being established in or near every community with a VA regional office or guidance center.

VA vocational advisers can furnish veterans with the address of the nearest VTS agency, as well as information on procedures for applying for credits and diplomas. The agencies, designated by the state departments of education, charge a nominal fee for the tests.

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Some Low Prices Mar an Otherwise Strong Farm Market for Past Week

Lower prices for poultry, hogs and some other livestock marred otherwise steady to strong Southwest farm markets last week the weekly report to The Herald from the Pro-

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Unsettled conditions in the wheat markets during the past week left prices a little higher in the Southwest. Feed grains strengthened too, as continued active demand for corn found only moderate offerings from the new crop. No. 1 hard wheat closed Friday at \$3.07, No. 2 white corn around \$3.10, yellow corn at \$2.66, No. 2 white oats at \$1.31 and No. 2 milo at \$3.75 in bulk car-

lots at Texas common points.

Southwest poultry markets ex-

perienced general weakness and eggs eased off at some places. Northwest Arkansas broilers dropped to 30 to 32 cents per pound on the farm, and principal cities paid 30 to 35. Heavy hens fell to 29 to 30½ at New Orleans and from 20 to 25 cents at other points. Turkeys sold at or near support prices.

Cattle moved to markets at mostly steady to slightly stronger prices except at Fort Worth, where considerable weakness appeared. However, slaughter cows sold mainly steady to lower. Houston brought common and medium cows at \$12 to \$14.50, as San Antonio paid \$12 to \$15.50 an Oklahoma City gave \$13 to \$15. Fort Worth took cutter and common cows at \$11.50 to \$13. Denver moved canners and cutters at \$10 to \$13.

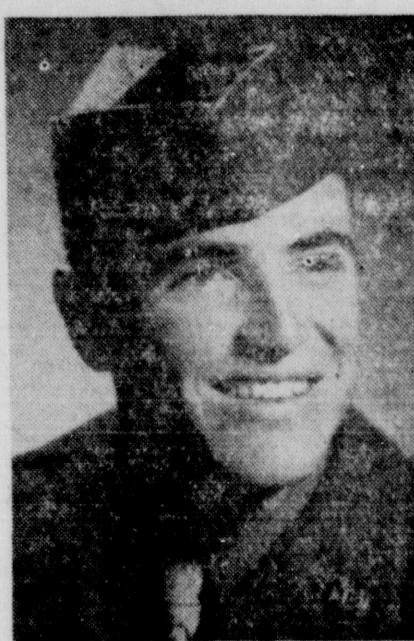
Hog prices continued downward the past week in losses of 25 cents to \$1. Closing top was \$25 at San Antonio, \$25.75 at Fort Worth, \$25.50 at Oklahoma City, \$25.10 at Wichita and \$26.15 at Denver. Declines on sows fully equalled those on butcher hogs and closing prices ranged from \$23.50 to \$25.50 except San Antonio.

Southwest sheep markets held at mostly steady, but lambs lost up to 50 cents at Oklahoma City and Denver. Good and choice lambs brought \$21 at San Antonio, \$22.50 at Oklahoma City, around \$23 at Wichita and \$24.25 to \$24.75 at Denver. Goats sold steady to strong at San Antonio, where cull and common grades cashed at \$4 to \$5.50.

Cotton trading continued very active at about \$1 higher prices. Labor supply improved in the western part of the belt, but congestion at gins hampered movement.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNair of Robstown has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rawlins at Celotex.

Pfc. E. L. Grimes Is Transferred to Overseas Army Duty



Pfc. Elbert L. Grimes

Pfc. Elbert L. Grimes was transferred overseas following a furlough

at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Grimes, Route 3, Ham-

lin.

He completed his six weeks' basic training at Fort Ord, California, re-

ceiving a stripe and rating of marks-

man with the M-1 rifle.

When he arrived home his sisters, Mrs. Roy Williams, Lillie B. Berke-ley and Wanda Grimes were here to greet him. Another sister, Mrs. J. D. Piley of Lubbock arrived to late to see him.

Pfc. Grimes has enlisted for a term of three years and is 18 years of age. He attended Hamlin High School before entering the service.

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Four Concerts on Music Program In Coming Season

Hamlin members of the Stamford Civic Music Association learned this week that there will be four concerts on the musical program.

First concert is expected to be given in December and the others in the three months following.

Stamford Civic Music Association successfully completed its membership drive last week and tickets will be mailed to all members in advance of the first concert.

There are approximately 35 members in Hamlin, according to a re-

port from Mrs. John Bryant.

Jack R. Ellison of Hamlin Named to Who's Who at H-SU

Jack R. Ellison of Hamlin and a senior in Hardin-Simmons University, has been elected to a place in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities," it was announced this week by Dean of Students, W. T. Walton.

Ellison is one of 23 students on the campus of Hardin-Simmons to receive this honor. The school has an enrollment in excess of 2,000 an all-time record.

To be eligible for the honor a student must be classified either as a junior or senior; be active in extra-curricular activities and have a high scholastic standing. Those chosen for the place are elected by popular ballot and approved by a faculty committee.

Ellison is president of the Senior Class, a member of the Baptist Student Union on the campus and plays guard on the H-SU football team.

Alvin Johnson, another Hamlin student at the college this year was elected to the Who's Who list last year.

Better Subscribe Now, Higher Newsprint Prices Predicted

Hamlin Herald and other United States newspaper publishers, who now pay \$90 and up per ton for the newsprint they use, and then have a struggle keeping in production, may be asked to pay even more in the very near future. Canadian paper manufacturers indicated early this week.

From unofficial sources The Herald has been informed that some dailies now conducting annual bargain rate drives may be forced to announce price increases by December 1. Herald readers who take area dailies are advised to pay up now to beat any price increases. The Herald office takes renewals for daily papers at Abilene, Fort Worth, Dallas, Wichita Falls and new ones for some of the above.

Although nothing was said about an immediate price increase, or about what may be expected in the of a House newsprint committee and United States publishers "that a boost may be in the offing," the re-

port stated.

The committee is holding conferences in Canada in an effort to obtain more newsprint for United States publishers," concluded the way of a specific rise, officials of Canadian and American paper companies hinted strongly to members report.

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Social Security Man Stamford Thursday

A representative of the Social Security Administration, Abilene office, will be at the Texas Employment Commission in Stamford on Thursday, November 20 at 11:00

o'clock a. m. for the convenience of Hamlin and area people.

All persons wishing to see him should call promptly at 11:00 o'clock a. m. as he will remain in the office for only a short time.

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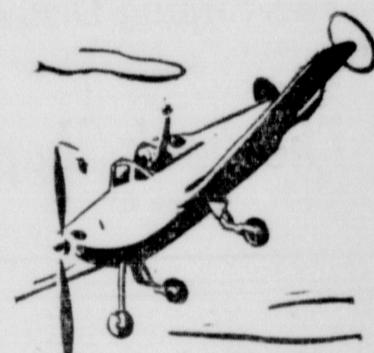
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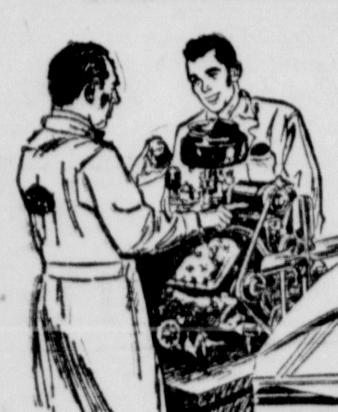
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SOCIETY

Ava Nell Deel Becomes Bride Of Woodrow Crawford Sunday

Ava Nell Deel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Deel of Rotan, became the bride of Woodrow K. Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford of Fort Worth, in an impressive double-ring ceremony read at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene Sunday at 11:00 o'clock a. m. with the pastor, Rev. J. T. Crawford, brother of the bride groom, officiating.

Arrangements of yellow and white mums, combined with greenery, were used in the altar vases.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attractive in a winter

white crepe dress with black accessories. She carried gardenias tied with white satin streamers atop a white Bible. For something old, she wore a gold bar pin belonging to her Great-grandmother Deel.

Joyce Bigham was bridesmaid. She wore a rose crepe dress, black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Glenon Jamison attended the groom as best man.

Mrs. Lester Morton played traditional wedding music. Mr. Morton sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because" preceding the wedding vows.

Following the ceremony, an informal wedding dinner was served by the bride's parents in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Maggie M. Bigham.

The dining room table was centered with the beautiful three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Guests present for the dinner were: Betty Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Celo Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphey, Dalton Arrington, Imogene Ellis, Mrs. Clyde Blount and family, Weldon Deel and Wilda Jeans, all of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood, Roby; Mr. and Glenon Jamison, Mt. Zion; Rev. and Mrs. John Richardson, Abilene; Mrs. Floyd Strickland and Rev. June, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morton, Thomas Bigham and family, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford and daughters, Mary Bigham, all of

Coronation of School Queen



Wanda Jean Mayfield, attractive Senior girl at the Hamlin High School, who was crowned as High School Queen Saturday night of last week, is pictured above with her escort, Weldon

Townsend. The coronation ceremony, highlighted the annual Junior Class Hallowe'en Carnival, was held at 9:00 o'clock p. m. in an oriental setting at the school.

Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warnell and family of Celotex.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mrs. P. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. Barto Jamison and Landy Jamison, all of Mt. Zion and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kiker, of Rotan and those listed above.

Mrs. Crawford is a graduate of Rotan High School and has been employed at the Callen Hospital in Rotan for several months.

Mr. Crawford attended Hillsboro Schools. He was discharged from the Army in June, 1947, having served for 18 months, 12 months of this period having been spent in Japan. After a wedding trip to Fort Worth, Houston and other points in Texas, the couple will reside in Hamlin.

Thursday Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. P. D. Harkins

Hamlin's Thursday Bridge Club met Wednesday, November 5 in the home of Mrs. P. D. Harkins for a business meeting.

Rogers was appointed chairman of officers were elected: Mrs. P. D. Harkins, president; Mrs. Perry Sparks, vice-president; Mrs. L. B. Maberry, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Carl D. Andress, reporter.

Members of the club are: Mmes Perry Sparks, P. D. Harkins, L. B. Maberry, Carl Anders, Kenneth Parker, Clara Harvey, Harvey Burk, Ray Huling and Stanley Carmichael.

Ferguson-Low Wedding Vows Read Thursday

In an impressive double ring ceremony read Thursday evening, November 6, by Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church, Miss Betty Lou Ferguson became the bride of Richard Leon Low. The vows were read in the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, of Hamlin.

The Ferguson home was beautifully decorated with white and yellow gladioluses and the mirrored background made a lovely setting for the wedding arch of fern and gladioluses. Baskets of flowers and the candelabra completed the decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an aqua crepe ballerina dress with sequin shoulder trim. Her accessories were black. She carried a white Bible topped with gardenias, tied with white satin streamers.

Larry McCoy attended the groom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, the guests were directed into the dining room, where the couple

met for a meal.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford

and Rev. and Mrs. C. I. Deel

were the officiating ministers.

Weldon Deel and Wilda Jeans

were the maid of honor and

best man.

Wanda Jean Mayfield

was the flower girl.

Wanda Jean

TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

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JOHN CHISUM, CATTLEMAN
FROM THE CONCHO

John Chisum, cattle king of West

Texas and more recently of western New Mexico, urged his horse southward towards the Rio Grande and Old Mexico. "I believe we can catch the thieves this time," he promised his four accompanying cowhands as they followed the trail left by 1,200 head of stolen cowponies. Three years had passed since the close of the Civil War, and Texans, just beginning to find markets for their cattle, had to fight rustlers of the entire horse herd recovered.

But he had not been so fortunate with his cattle. In supplying his first big government contract of 10,000 beavers to Fort Sumner, Chisum had more than half of the herd stolen. And six steers, out of 1,100, was all that was left of a herd being delivered to Fort Suantol.

John Chism was a new comer to the territory of New Mexico but not to the cattle industry. He had started in the cattle business while in East Texas back in 1854. Here for three consecutive years he had trailed his herds to Shreveport, Louisiana and seen them shipped by steamboat to market. But more grazing room was needed and for the past four years Chisum had turned his extensive herd of longhorns loose on the open range of the West Texas Concho country; he was conceded as being the first cattleman in that region.

He is said to have left the Concho country to R. F. Tankersley, a distant neighbor since 1864, when he decided to move closer to market at Fort Sumner. His trail led west from the lush regions of the Concho River, through the lands of the mesquite and pear trees south of the Llano Estacado, and on to the Horsehead Crossing of the Pecos, before it swung northward.

But the railroaders were pushing westward, and two years after his final move Chisum was driving cattle to Abilene and then Dodge City, Kansas, as well as west to Tucson, Arizona and San Carlos Apache reservation also in Arizona, and to the Gila River. Never a season from now on but that he had three or four herds on the move to different markets at the same time.

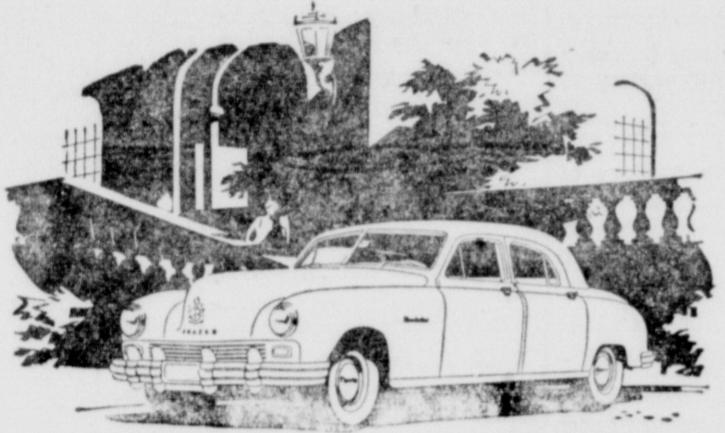
And whether or not he was an originator of the famous old Chishum or Chisholm Trail that became a northern outlet for all of Texas in its search for a cattle market, no one knows; but certainly he was closely associated with it and became a persistent contributor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin of Longview spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin.



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Business Activity Show Little Change; Inflation Still the Biggest Threat Now

Hamlin Herald readers will be interested to read the following release on business situations prepared by Dr. John R. Stockton, statistician of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. The business activity in Texas during September remained practically unchanged from August, according to the composite index compiled by the research.

Each of the summer months showed an increase over the preceding month, and both July and August set new highs for post-war business activity.

The Bureau's index declined very slightly during September, but the dip was not enough to be considered a significant change from the August level. Adjustment for seasonal variation has removed from the data the effect of the traditional "summer slump," which is particularly noticeable in retail trade.

Practically all of the setback in the composite index of Texas business activity was a result of the compsite index of Texas business activity was a result of the dip of the seven per cent drop in department and apparel store sales. Crude runs to mills, electric power consumption, freight carloadings and employment all registered advances, while the pay roll index declined fractionally.

Farm income continued to lend heavy support to the situation, with the total of cash income for the sale of farm products estimated by the Bureau to be \$21,029,000 in the month of September for a 64 per cent hike over September 1946 intake. With the continued demand for relief abroad added to the demand at home created by the high level of income, the prices of farm products show no sign of dropping from their present high levels.

In a situation that resembles 1920 in so many ways, there is surprisingly little protest on the part of consumers, and buyer resistance seems to be having very little effect on the demand for high priced foods.

Dollar volume on durable goods

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Latest News Reel on Wednesday
and Thursday.

store sales are below the peak levels of 1946, but total retail sales continued to climb during the month. The upward surge of sales of durable goods stores has been strong enough to raise the volume of total sales to an all-time high in September.

Building throughout the State soared to unexpected heights in September and contributed heavily to supporting the healthy business outlook. The Bureau's index of building permits for Texas cities rose to 679 in comparison with the pre-war base of 10. Permits were 76 per cent ahead of a year ago figures and represented the highest crest yet reached by the index.

Despite all the optimistic indicators, however, inflation still loomed as the number one enemy of Texas' business.

Mrs. Joe B. Miller is still improving in her spending several days in a hospital in Abilene recently.

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No. 1 Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce 23c **CORN** Wh. Kernel, Vac. Pack 18c

Potatoes Red McClure 5c **ORANGES** Texas 8-lb. Bag. 35c

OXYDOL or Duz, Large 35c **CAMAY** Toilet Soap, 3 Bars 25c

Dog Food Sport, No. 1 Can 6c **Preserves** Strawberry, Kimball's—1 Lb. 39c

No. 5 Can Nu-Zest Orange Juice 28c **Johnson's Wax** Johnson's, 1-lb. Can 49c

STEAK Loin 57c **BOLOGNA** Sliced 32c **CHILI** Brick 45c **CHEESE** Round 53c

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By Jeanelle Bryant

Better start digging out those red flannels as Old Man Winter is definitely on his way if we can judge by his heavy frost and freeze which visited this community Friday morning. We doubted that there was ice until we called the Santa Fe Railway office and got verification of the rumors that those early risers had been spreading. They tell us the thermometer reading at 5:00

o'clock a. m. was exactly 32 degrees. Sorry, we didn't get up early enough to see that frozen water. But H. W. Madden at the Neinda Gin did and evidently rushed into town to tell the city folks about it. If he hadn't we might never have known the news. Not that is cooperation, we say.

An advertising salesman for The Herald recently was a little taken back by the reception he received at Euell's Dress Shop. Before he could get inside the front door, Mrs. Carter rushed to meet him and took him by the arm, not to lead him to a chair but to turn him around and guide him outward; as it seems, a customer was trying on a dress without bothering to retire to the dressing room. And on the way out Mrs. Carter gave the salesman

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Nat Barrows stated in a story that he had discussed with Winant during the war, prospects of being able to sit around and fish and never worry again about the state of the world. Winant replied, "It's pleasant to dream but unrealistic. One can never go back. Once you've reached a certain level or responsibility there is no retreat. You could never live with yourself, never be happy, if you failed to do the best job you know, where you can do it the best way."

We conclude from all this and other information concerning his life that in trying to slow down it was too much of a strain on the nerves. And then again, the deplorable condition of the world might have been too heavy a load on his great mind. He didn't lack courage, we know that from reports of the many problems he has faced and solved. Anyhow, America owes John G. Winant a great debt for the splendid role of ambassador to all Britain. ***

Jeff D. Ray, internationally-known religious writer, stated recently that, "Work is nature's best tonic and religion noblest ally." He also added, "A man must be tired before he can rest." Well, honest

ly, we have oft times wondered if those town loafers could truly rest when they retire each night but their tongues are probably tired from hours of idle talk and in that manner insure sleep. But sometimes we think it would be rather nice to hours of idle talk and in that manner be able to loaf, at least for a season. We have been much too tired to sleep many times but never yet have we fallen victim to insomnia from lack of work. It would be change anyhow.

We should begin thinking of the many blessings we have for which to be thankful this Thanksgiving Day. Sure you think we are being a trifle premature, but it will take you from now until November 27 to count all those blessings. Try it and see.

No wonder the girls nowadays do not get married as young as they did several years ago. With the fad of wearing those faded rolled-legged blue jeans and bright shirts with the tails out, loafer shoes, etc. what young man could dream of such a queer looking creature cooking his meals, keeping house or mothering children. But just as well they don't marry so young, we suppose.

Retail gasoline prices still had not advanced Wednesday in Hamlin and in other towns of this section of the state, after tank wagon prices of the motor fuel rose a half cent last week. The service stations were absorbing the advance. The Herald was informed in a check-up yesterday.

Price of gasoline had advanced a cent a gallon about 90 days ago after a one-half cent advance in the tank wagon price.

Price of gasoline was 22 and 24 cents per gallon in Hamlin in all stations contacted.

News Briefs From Stonewall County

A large number of petit jurors have been summoned for service in the Stonewall County district court meeting at Aspermont this week. Sheriff B. O. Hawkins, accompanied by two special officers from the Liquor Control Board, uncovered a whiskey still in the shinnery north of Swenson last week. Still was not in operation in the shinnery, but had been recently, and no one found at the scene. Aspermont Hornets defeated Abilene Frosh footballers 13 to 6. This week the Leuders team plays Aspermont. Little or no Hallowe'en damage was reported throughout the county. Stonewall County Farm Bureau held a county-wide meeting at the courthouse last Thursday. Stamford District Methodists held a district conference at the Weford Methodist Church Wednesday.

A Shocking Scene.

A dear old lady was passing a rural stream where a company of soldiers were enjoying a cool swim. The lack of bathing trunks was obvious.

"Oh, dear," uttered the astonished woman, "those must be our shock troops."

Gas Prices Stable as Tank Rate Goes Up

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Wallace Says Little Likelihood of Conflict

Henry A. Wallace, former vice president of the United States, said Saturday at Rome, Italy, that he saw no possibility of armed conflict between the United States and Russia. He added he did not think either power was prepared for war.

Wallace, who arrived in Rome for a short stay after visiting in Palestine, cited the recent agreement between the U. S. and Russia on the Palestinian problem as an important symptom of the easing of tension between the two powers, and said only the solution of the Palestinian problem was essential to the preservation of world peace.



Admiration's

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3. You may send as many entries as you wish but each entry must be accompanied by one of these: The Mammy picture (or label) from an Admiration Coffee package or jar—or the strip that un-winds from an Admiration vacuum can.
4. Anyone is eligible to enter except employees of the Duncan Coffee Company, their advertising agency and their families.
5. All entries become the property of the Duncan Coffee Company—none can be returned—and the decision of the judges will be final.
6. The contest begins September 29th and ends midnight, November 16th. Weekly contest winners will be selected from entries received before midnight Saturday of each week. All entries postmarked later than midnight, November 16, will not be considered.
7. All winners will be notified. A list of the winners will be sent to all contestants requesting one and sending a self-addressed stamped envelope.

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SOAP Ivory or Swan, 2 Large Bars 29c

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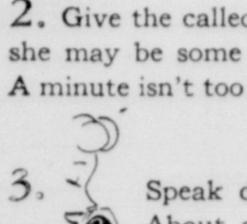
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10 ways you can help yourself to good telephone service

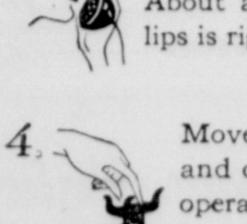
Telephoning is easy. But more depends on the user than people realize. What you do when making or receiving a call often has a lot to do with how satisfactory that call is. Here are ten suggestions:



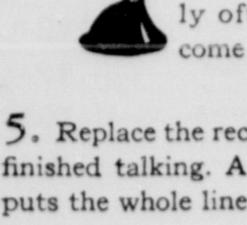
1. Before you call, make sure of the number. If you're not sure of it, look in the telephone directory, and thus avoid wrong numbers.



2. Give the called party time to answer. He or she may be some distance from the telephone. A minute isn't too long.



3. Speak directly into the mouthpiece. About an inch between it and your lips is right for best results.



4. Move the switch hook slowly up and down to recall or signal the operator. "Jiggling" the hook rapidly often won't cause a signal to come in and is useless.



5. Replace the receiver carefully when you have finished talking. A receiver partly off the hook puts the whole line out of order.

6. Answer calls promptly. It's courteous to do so and often keeps the caller from hanging up—thinking you're not at home.

7. Identify yourself when you call or answer. Not everyone recognizes you by your voice. Telling who you are saves time and sometimes embarrassment.

8. Space calls on party lines. If you have a series of calls to make, allow a few minutes between each one so others can use the line to call or be called.

9. Keep calls brief on party lines. Other folks on the line will appreciate your thoughtfulness and—who knows—may follow your good example.

10. Avoid calling in busy hours if possible. Switchboards are usually busiest during midmorning and late afternoon.

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or seven jokes in the main part of the volume.)
Incidentally, "I Give You Texas" is now available in a newsstand edition, about the size and appearance of Time Magazine, at 50 cents.

A new song contains a line with this marvelous information, "Tomorrow—the day after today."

Probably the longest name for a Texas town, population considered, is Sutherland Springs.

Nearly as long a name is Tennessee Colony.

San Antonio residents, having guests who want to see the old mis-

sions, have been known to drive by one of the railroad stations (which are constructed in mission style) and point it out as one of the historic landmarks. Thus, the visitors went back home up North happy at having seen—as they thought—San Jose and their hosts were happy, too, at having saved some time.

Bert Williams was the most famous comedian of his day. It is related that while he was at the height of his fame, he saw a sign, "Amateur Night," in front of a cheap theater, so he entered the contest, went out and sang one of his comic songs in his inimitable manner and won—second prize!

There ought to be some sort of moral in that, but I haven't time to figure it out.

The national House and Senate talk about "free enterprise"—and then pass a law that restricts the amount of sugar that the United States will have for the next three years to 85 per cent of the pre-war amount and at the same time assure the price will be higher.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, the famous writer, was a doctor by profession and a teacher of anatomy.

News Briefs From Fisher County

Rotan's VFW Post really put on a good Armistice Day program Tuesday, featuring a dance, parade, two football games and memorial service. . . Rotan Baptists are collecting clothing for needy European countries. . . J. A. Burk of Roby and R. Lee Williams of Rotan were renamed directors of the Roby National Farm Loan Association. . . Mrs. Delma Bales Scott, Fisher County home demonstration agent, conducted a training school on the art of gracious living at a meeting last week in Roby. . . John Charlie Preston, negro, charged with four counts on robbery and assault of Willard Burk near Roby, has been from Arizona. . . Roby will soon have a complete butchering and curing plant. . . Roby First Baptist Church is planning to redecorate the building. . . New bleachers have been completed at Roby High School. . . Fisher County Fair at Roby drew a big crowd last week.

Success cannot be measured alone by where a man stands but must be measured by where he stands in relation to where he should stand.

Attending the meeting were: L. H. McBride and Haskell Carter, Disaster Chairman of Hamlin; Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Beck of Anson; A. C. Bishop, R. K. Rowland, Faye Kelley, Dorothy Luck and also Olive McDougal all of Stamford.

Stamford Man Heads Red Cross Chapter in County

Annual meeting of the Jones County chapter of the American Red Cross was held in Stamford Monday evening, November 3, in the Chamber of Commerce office.

L. H. McBride, Hamlin, chairman, presided for the business meeting. Reports were given by A. C. Bishop of Stamford, home service chairman, Mrs. L. B. McFarland, Anson, junior red cross chairman and Mrs. Beck, Anson, water safety and life-saving chairman.

R. K. Rowland, member of the nominating committee, presented the following names of officers for the coming year: Hubert Watson, Stamford, as chairman; George Harrell, Anson, as vice chairman; Pauline McKinley, Stamford, as secretary and Arlene Bryant, Hamlin, as treasurer. All officers were elected unanimously. They will take office immediately.

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Felix Bagwell Finishes Recruit Training Course

Felix Donald Bagwell, U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde J. Bagwell of Hamlin, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, California, and has been advanced to seaman, second class.

In this course, Bagwell was taught seamanship, Navy customs and terms, basic ordnance and gunnery, signaling and navigation. He learned proper diving and swimming, life saving and shipboard fire fighting.

Bagwell arrived in Hamlin last Friday to spend eight days leave here with his parents. Upon return-

ing to his base he will either be assigned to the fleet or to a service school for specialized training.

Vets X-Rays Useful In Anti-TB Program

Veterans Administration reminded Hamlin area veterans and others of the fact that the administration is the custodian of more than 53,000,000 Army chest X-ray films of World War II veterans, which it will use in its long-range anti-tuberculosis program.

Veterans Administration records show that about 23,000 veterans of World War II are drawing compensation for tuberculosis contracted in the service. Included in the three state figures Texas was high-est with 817.

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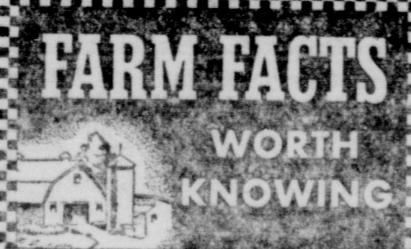
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Uncle Sam Says



Q.—How can a poultry raiser overcome dirty eggs?

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Q.—What percentage of pigs that are farrowed are raised to market? Can this percentage be increased?

A.—According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, normally only 56 per cent of the pigs that are farrowed reach market age. This high good cases with clean fillers and flats.

Q.—What causes milk to become



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Ropey after it has stood a while, and how can this condition be prevented?

A—Ropey milk should not be confused with stringy, clotted, gargety milk from mastitis infected cows. Ropey milk may look normal as it comes from the cow and usually as it has stood for several hours during which time the types of bacteria responsible for this condition have had a chance to multiply. Bacteria causing this condition are usually found in stagnant water, and the trouble is apt to occur when cows get out on pasture and wallow in ponds or swampy places. Improper sterilization or rinsing milk-giving utensils with impure water may cause contamination. This trouble can easily be overcome by improved sanitation practices.

"African People To Be Subject For WMS Program

Members of the Women's Misionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet at the Baptist church Monday afternoon to hear a missionary program on the subject, "Peoples of Africa."

Mrs. Earnest Jenkins will be in charge of this program with several women to take part in the discussion.

Every woman who is interested in missionary work is urged to attend this service.

Last Monday the four circles met for the Bible study lessons on "Prayer."

The deadly Mustang fighter plane was created as a challenge to the German fighter plane, M E-109.

Supervisors Approve 10 Additional Farms At Recent Meeting

Hamlin farmers are informed this week that agreements were approved on 10 additional farms during the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the California Creek Soil Conservation District in the month of October.

In addition nine new applications for the district assistance were approved.

The farm plans signed into the agreements comprised 2,083 acres, the report stated. They were scattered throughout the district having been in conservation groups previously approved. The applications covering 2,018 acres were as follows: A. R. Watson, Edgar Quade, E. A. Schaake, D. W. Counts, J. H. Walsh, Glyn G. Quade, Omar Burleson and Boyd Lackey.

It has been suggested that those who are anticipating a need for district assistance should make applications now in order that plans may be completed before the practices are applied. This will help prevent a peak load of work at the time frost comes and crops are harvested. This will enable the small staff available for this year's work to better serve more cooperators. A coordinated soil and moisture conservation plan must be formulated for the entire farm before technical assistance can be made available for the installation of any part of the plan.

Bates Transferred.

Mrs. Ella Burns, sister, and Mrs. Dwaine Carter, niece of E. M. Bates of South Gate, California, went to Abilene last week to visit with Mr. Bates as he passed through there enroute to Atlanta, Georgia, where he is being transferred from South Gate to the new General Motors plant, as supervisor of all materials for that company.

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson was brought home from a Stamford hospital Friday and is reported doing nicely at the family home.

Go To Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jones are in Temple this week, where Mr. Moss and Mr. Jones will have medical check-ups.

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Attend Funeral.

Mrs. A. G. Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gigham, Mrs. Lillie Neill and Carl Gingham attended the funeral services for Snown Halbrooks, 58, at Comanche Saturday. Mrs. Halbrooks will be remembered in Hamlin at Lula Fields.

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PHONE 63

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

By GEORGE DARDEN

Still blowing about our football team. Yes, McCaulley High School six man football team closed the season Friday by soundly defeating the fast Needle team by a score of 61-6, thereby keeping the record of undefeated and untied for the past two seasons and too, once again the McCaulley Eagles are district champions. Our hats off to our team and Coach Webb and for the fine sportsmanship they have manifested throughout the years. Yep, the entire citizenship are proud of McCaulley High Eagles and we are looking forward to winning basketball teams. But win or loose we are all in there pitching for the home town kids.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miers have purchased a 460-acre farm in the Hobbs

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uary 1, in town of McCaulley. See George Darden.

Jim Pope left Sunday for the Plains, where he will be employed at a gin for rest of the season.

Rev. and Mrs. Temple Lewis and children and Genene Houghton visited Sunday afternoon in the Darden home. Bro. Lewis is the Baptist pastor at Royton.

Well folks, pretty soon it will be Thanksgiving. Folks will travel far and near to eat turkey and dressin with friends and relatives and the football games all over the country will really get a gate. But out of our hearts we should surely be very thankful for the many blessings that have come our way. Good crops, plenty to eat and wear can't be boasted of in many parts of the world. Let's be gay, yet humble on Thanksgiving Day.

Billie Max Waldrop from Dallas visited his mother and family, Mrs. E. C. Waldrop over the week-end.

Mail in your news to this column as old man winter is on his way and we won't get around much until the flowers bloom in the spring.

Hands Injured.

Gordon Sproles is recovering from injuries received to both hands several days ago at the oil mill. One hand was broken and the other one fractured. He is able to be out and go to the mill to partly perform his duties.

**Mrs. C. E. Watson
Dies Sunday After
Lingering Illness**

Mrs. C. E. Watson, 63, died at 1:00 o'clock a. m. Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Nuckles at 1109 South 7th Street in Abilene after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Watson was born March 3 1884. She had made her home in Abilene since she became ill several months ago.

Funeral services were held at the Hamlin Church of Christ Monday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Ministers Bailey and Bruce Proctor, both of Abilene, officiating.

Interment was in the East Cemetery with Barrow Funeral Home in charge.

Besides the husband, survivors include two sons, J. W. Watson of

Orange and Wynell Watson of Abilene; six daughters, Mrs. Nuckles of Abilene, Mrs. Ernestine Hurley of Arlington; Mrs. E. C. Perkins of Austin, Mrs. Joe D. Nash of Victoria, Mrs. Dawson Nixon of Wewoka, Oklahoma and Jocilla Watson of Abilene; three sisters and three brothers. One son, William Weldon Watson, was killed in England during World War II.

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\$3.89 Ea. (tax included)		

160-lb. Cotton Scales	\$4.50	\$3.19
Trash Burner	\$4.19	\$1.98
Close Mesh Metal		
Kitchen Clocks	\$10.50	\$6.95
18-inch Towel Bar		
with Brackets	95c	79c
24-inch Towel Bar		
with Bracket	\$1.09	89c

Soap Holders complete	49c	39c
Link Rubber Door		
Door Mats	\$1.79	\$1.49
Bath Room Scales	\$5.45	\$4.59
1 Quart Johnson's		
Glo-Coat	98c	79c
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